

DETAIL EXPENDITURES OF SENATOR MCKINLEY FUND

PRISONER IN
ESCAPE FROM
COUNTY JAILAlex Lombardi, Mexi-
can, Took Informal
Leave Today

Alex Lombardi, Mexican, under sentence in the Lee County jail for the theft of clothes from the Boynton-Richards Clothing Store in this city, made his escape from the jail at about 11:15 o'clock this morning, when he was permitted to leave the cells to empty garbage from the cell room.

Chief Deputy Fred A. Richardson, who is in charge of the jail during the absence of Sheriff E. C. Risley, who is in Iowa with Chief of Police Van Bibber to return a prisoner to this city, summoned other attaches and a search was instituted for the fugitive. Dixon police aided the sheriff's force in hunting for him, but up until this afternoon no trace of him had been found.

Make Careful Search.
The weeds and bushes along the drainage ditch through the city were thoroughly searched, the railroad yards were explored and a hunt was instituted among the Mexicans employed at the Sandusky cement plant, who live near that institution.

Nearby cities were notified of the escape and officers there were furnished with descriptions of the escaped prisoner.

BEAUTY CONTEST
BLOWS UP WHEN
PROMOTER QUILTSPeoria Girls Lose Out
on Trip to Yellow-
stone Park

Peoria, July 28.—(AP)—A swindle in beauty and popularity contests is believed to have been uncovered here with the arrest of Albert Kirkham of Peoria on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Kirkham is said to have promoted beauty and popularity contests with drug stores, offering free trips to Yellowstone Park to the winners. Purchases at the stores meant votes to the contestants and one store in Chillicothe near here is said to have done a huge business. Kirkham is alleged to have obtained \$400 in notes from the two stores and then disappeared when time came to send the winners west.

Six More Arrested
In Poison Liquor
Case—Charge Murder

Buffalo, N. Y., July 28.—(AP)—Federal agents and police today made six more arrests in the Niagara Frontier poison liquor case, the death toll in which stands at 87.

The action followed statements of authorities that James C. Voelker, alleged leader of the distribution gang, stood ready to name those higher up in the wood alcohol traffic. He is to answer a charge of first degree murder.

Girl Killed When
She Stumbled From
Car With Bundles

Joliet, July 28.—(AP)—Miss Ella Tewee, 20, was fatally injured last night when she alighted from an automobile in which she had ridden home. Miss Tewee started to get out of the car, her arms filled with bundles, and in so doing stumbled and fell to the pavement, her head striking against the stone curb. She was rushed to St. Joseph's hospital where it was found her skull was fractured. She died at midnight.

Passing Motorists
Save Drugged Girl

Peoria, July 28.—(AP)—Under pretext of driving her to her home three men kidnapped, drugged with a needle, and attempted to assault Miss Jean Shorman, Cedar Rapids, last night according to the story she told police. The girl was rescued by a passing autoist who heard her screams in a park. The men escaped.

FRET FREIGHT REDUCTION

Minneapolis, July 28.—(AP)—Four major railroads serving Minneapolis announced today that they will meet the reduction of 3 cents per cent. put in effect July 10 by the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad on grain and flour shipped from the Missouri river by way of Minneapolis to points east of Illinois.

MEDICS GATHER
HERE TOMORROW
FOR BIG PICNICNoted Physicians and
Surgeons Will Ad-
dress Convention

Over 150 physicians and surgeons of northern Illinois, their ladies and nurses of the same territory, are expected in Dixon tomorrow afternoon and evening for the annual picnic of the Lee-Orle Medical Association, which will be held at Lowell Park.

The annual outing sponsored by the local association has become one of the outstanding events in medical circles in the territory, and assurances have been received from Rockford, Freeport, Chicago, Sterling, Morrison and other cities in this section that practically everyone in the profession in those cities will attend the outing.

A fine program has been arranged for the affair, including some spirited singing by some of Dixon's prettiest girls and addresses and discussion by the doctors themselves. The speakers include outstanding authorities on the profession.

MISS WOODBRIDGE
CALLED IN DEATH;
FUNERAL THURSDAYBeloved Woman Succumb-
ed to Attack of Par-
alysis

Miss Anna Woodbridge, one of Dixon's most prominent ladies, possessor of a large circle of loving friends, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. I. Hitchcock, 407 E. Third street, at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, death resulting from paralysis, with which she was stricken last Friday.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, Rev. Presley Hovey Case, pastor of the First Presbyterian church officiating, and with burial in the Lee Center cemetery.

Obituary of Miss Woodbridge will be published later, illness of her beloved sister making it impossible to secure data on her life today.

Heavy Rains Fell East
of Dixon This Morning

The territory around Ashton and Rochelle was visited by a very heavy rain this morning, reports from that vicinity stating that dirt roads were transferred into channels of mud and water, and that many fields of grain, cut and awaiting the threshers, were drenched.

HAIL FELL THIS MORN

A light hail storm in the northwest corner of Dixon at about 6:40 o'clock this morning is reported by workers on their way to town at that time. The small bits of ice fell for several minutes, it is reported, but they melted almost immediately.

Judge Leech Reserves
Decision in Tax Case

Argument of the objections of the Chicago & Northwestern and the Burlington railroads to tax levies in various parts of the county was completed before Judge William L. Leech in the Lee Co. Court Tuesday afternoon, but the Judge deferred giving his decision on the points at issue until some future time.

WEATHER

IT DOESN'T COOL YA
OFF WHEN YA GO
DRIVING ON A GOLF
COURSE



By Associated Press Leased Wire

Illinois: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; probably local thunderstorms; rising temperature along Lake Michigan.

Chicago and vicinity: Unsettled tonight and Thursday; showers or thunderstorms probable; rising temperature; cooler Thursday night and Friday; winds mostly moderate to fresh southeast to southwest.

Wisconsin: Unsettled tonight and Thursday with showers or thunderstorms; cooler Thursday night.

Iowa: Probably showers and thunderstorms tonight and Thursday; cooler Thursday and in extreme west portion late tonight.

HURRICANE
TRAVELS UP
EAST COASTMiami and Palm Beach
Damage a Million—
Other Cities Wait

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Residents along the coast of upper Florida, Georgia and South Carolina prepared today for the coming of the West Indian hurricane which was moving up the coast of Florida after lashing the southern borders of that state yesterday and last night.

While Miami, West Beach and the cities in the wake of the storm took toll of the damage, St. Augustine, Jacksonville and other Florida cities and Savannah and Brunswick, Ga., and Charleston, S. C., made ready for the unwelcome visitor.

The hurricane was making its way this morning, slowly along the Florida coast between Titusville and Jacksonville in a north-northwesterly direction. The weather bureau reported its center would pass close to Jacksonville today and probably proceed northward near or inside the Georgia coast line.

A special train brought women and children from the Tybee Island summer resort to Savannah. A stiff northeast wind was blowing on the island today but neither lives nor property had been endangered.

At Brunswick, between Savannah and Jacksonville the barometer dropped to 29.50 and wind was steadily increasing. Hundreds of summer visitors on St. Simons Island were awakened by a messenger who informed them that a 75 mile hurricane was expected to reach the island soon. Tourists rushed to Brunswick by every train and means of travel, filling every hotel in the city.

Charleston Warned
Tolling of the fire bells and display of hurricane signals at the customs house warned Charleston. Increasing wind velocity was accompanied by announcement from the weather bureau forecaster that a strong blow would reach the city by night and he urged that all island residents come into Charleston as a precautionary measure. National guardsmen of North Carolina in summer camp at Fort Moultrie on Sullivan's Island, were ordered to strike camp and move into barracks.

Hope of the rescue of the crew of the Italian Steamer Ansaldo San Giorgio was expressed in messages through the Tropical Radio Company at Miami Fla., from the steamer West Harshaw and the coast guard cutter Sauk which communicated with the Savannah station. This ship has been putting up a desperate fight for life since it was smitten by the hurricane early Monday morning. These rescue vessels said early today they expected to take the storm victim in tow.

Palm Beach and West Palm Beach reported heaviest damage from the storm. Delray and Pompano were other cities which reported unroofed houses, uprooted trees and inundated streets.

Daylight came to Daytona Beach accompanied by a torrential rain and a forty mile gale.

Jacksonville experienced a wind early today of fifty miles an hour and driving rain.

Crippled wires were reported by all companies south of Jacksonville.

MILLION DOLLAR DAMAGE.

West Palm Beach, Fla., July 28.—(AP)—After a 48 hour battle with hurricane winds which cut off communication with the outside world, this city and Palm Beach today began a check of the storm's damage which conservative authorities place well above a million dollars.

Today the wind had subsided and the seas, quieted, a rising barometer indicating that the force of the gale had been spent here. The landscape was dotted with uprooted palms and debris and many of the main streets of Palm Beach were inundated. The water fronts of both cities suffered the greatest damage while fashionable resorts and hotels were flooded by water blown in from Lake Worth when the northeast gale shifted to the west shortly after noon Tuesday. At the Palm Beach Yacht Club nothing but a few small cruises remained of the score or more crafts anchored at the dock.

THINK STEAMER SAFE.

Miami, Fla., July 28.—The Tropical Radio Station here today reported that the steamship West Harshaw reached the Italian steamer Ansaldo San Giorgio Secondo, in distress off Jupiter Inlet and was trying to get a line aboard Dawn brought a scurrying wind, but less heavy seas, and the West Harshaw hoped to rescue the crew.

STORM CAUSE WRECK.

Winter Haven, Fla., July 28.—(AP)

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STATE FORESTER
TAKES OFFICE;
FIRST IN STATER. B. Miller, Expert in
His Line, Appointed
by Governor

Springfield, Ill., July 28.—(AP)—R. B. Miller was officially appointed chief forester of Illinois this morning by W. J. Stratton, director of conservation with the approval of the Governor.

Springfield, Ill., July 28.—(AP)—R. B. Miller, Illinois' first Chief Forester, who started his services last Saturday, has reached a decision as to the locations of the lands to be bought for state forests from the \$100,000 appropriation made last year.

The lands are to be re-surveyed and revalued before the locations are named and the policies for either preservation or planting are set forth.

Mr. Miller, a graduate of the Yale School of Forestry, established a similar department at the University of New Brunswick, Canada, where he taught for ten years. Since his return to the United States, he has worked for six years with the natural history survey at Urbana and acted as land valuation assistant for the Wild Life, Fish and Game Refuge, of the Upper Mississippi division at Winona, Minnesota.

Mr. Miller is the first to hold the position of State Forester. The bill creating the place and appropriating \$100,000 for the use of forestry was introduced in the last legislature by Representative Springer of Chicago.

MEXICAN CHURCHES
TO BE IN CHARGE OF
MEN MAYORS NAMECatholic Laymen Barred
From Taking Over
Churches

Mexico City, July 28.—(AP)—The government today issued orders by which it refuses to permit Catholic priests when they cease to function at midnight Saturday to turn over their churches to committees of Catholic laymen appointed by them for each church.

Instead the government has ordered the churches placed in charge of committees appointed by the mayors of each town or city.

The government's determination of unyielding pursuance of its announced policy of putting into effect the new religious regulations is further indicated by a letter Attorney General Ortega has sent to all prosecuting attorneys and agents of the department of justice. The letter requests an immediate, specific and frank statement as to whether the attorneys and agents unreservedly support and sympathize with the government's religious policy.

May Fire Objectors.

This is construed as meaning that any person not heartily in accord with the government will be discharged from the service.

The regional confederation of labor, the strongest labor organization in Mexico, has issued orders for parades by all its members Sunday in Mexico City and other leading centers as a demonstration of support of the government's religious policy. Because of possible clashes then, the police are preparing to prevent trouble.

Bishop Miguel de la Mora of San Luis Potosi has issued printed instructions that the priests shall not do so, that their parishes shall administer the sacraments in private homes or buildings.

REVELATIONS IN
MELLETT MURDER
ARE DUE TODAY

Canton, O., July 28.—(AP)—Revelations of a "startling nature" bearing on the investigation of the killing of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher, who was shot to death on July 16, were promised today by A. P. Owen, postal inspector of Cleveland, assigned to the case. Further than that Owen would not say.

The postal department entered the slayer search because of the threatening and anonymous letters received by investigators and private citizens since the murder.

LOW INFANT DEATH RATE

Figures compiled by the Illinois Health Department show that Lee County, with 36 deaths of children one year old or under, giving a death rate per thousand of 22.44, is almost at the bottom of the list of counties in Illinois and that only two counties have a lower death rate for children of this age.

AUTO BROKE HIS BACK

Kewanee, Ill., July 28.—(AP)—Terrence Foley, 45, of this city, died today from injuries received when his automobile turned over Sunday night. His back was broken.

BURGLARS AT WORK
LAST EVENING HERE;
GET CASH FROM SAFEJensen Paint Store Enter-
ed by Thieves Who
Knew Place

Thieves, thought to be local talent, burglarized two Dixon business institutions during Tuesday night, their loot being about \$114 in cash, according to reports made to the police department this morning.

The larger haul was made at the N. H. Jensen paint store in the Masonic building on First street, where about \$100 in currency, which had been paid the proprietor by a patron Tuesday afternoon after the banks had closed was taken from the safe. Mr. Jensen had neglected to lock the safe when he closed his store, and access to the money was unimpeded. Two checks, for substantial amounts, which Mr. Jensen had endorsed were not taken, the thieves evidently realizing that they would be worthless to them for cashing them would provide an absolute clue to their identity.

Familiar With Territory.
The burglary at the paint store was probably the work of someone who knew the surroundings, for entrance was gained by removing a piece of broken glass from a window in the basement door, reaching through and removing the bolt from the lock, and then carefully negotiating a path through a myriad of paint cans and pails to the cellar steps.

The Jensen Co. safe on Ogden avenue was also robbed of about \$14, taken from the cash register in the office, sometime between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning.

Pitcher's Homer
in Extra Inning
Wins for Wire Co.

The Reynolds Wire Co. baseball team of the Factory Twilight League defeated the Brown Shoe Co., augmented by several classy players from the Dixon State Hospital, in the best game of the season at Brown's Field Tuesday evening, an extra inning being necessary to settle the battle, and that extra inning giving Pitcher Hargraves of the Reynolds aggregation a chance to win his own game—which he did most thrillingly with a circuit clot.

The two teams battled desperately and evenly for five innings—the regulations length of the Twilight League games—and at the end of the usual period the score was 1 all. Then Hargraves got one that he liked, he leaned against it heavily, trotted around the sacks leisurely and ended the afternoon's festivities.

The Reynolds and J. I. Case Co. teams will meet at the Brown Field in Thursday evening's league game.

Ancient Chinese Riddle
Solved by U. of I. Boy

Champaign, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—A University of Illinois student today solved a medical riddle of ancient China which has puzzled modern scientists for 40 years. The student is Howard A. Graffis, 26 years old, of Richmond, Ind.

Graffis has discovered how to manufacture Ephedrine synthetically. Ephedrine was known to old China. It is used in the treatment of nasal diseases. But modern science never has been able to achieve the compound in commercial quantities.

Graffis has worked at the compound seven months. He achieved success once before, then lost his formula.

To Enlarge Callahan
Building on First St.

Contractors Mark D. Smith & Son have started excavation for the erection of an addition to the M. J. Callahan building on First street, recently occupied by the Pallas Royale store. The addition will be 38 feet long and one story high, giving much additional floor space to the store room.

State Hospital Team
Battle Browns Tonight

Local baseball fans are promised some good sport at the Brown Field at 6 o'clock this evening when the Dixon State Hospital team and the Dixon Browns clash in a twilight game. The rivalry between these two aggregations is intense, and the feeling has spread to the supporters of each team.

BIDS ON TRICITY MILLS

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Bids on the equipment of the defunct Daniel Boone Woolen Mills plants at Rock Island and Moline will total about \$20,000, E. J. Brundage, receiver, estimated today. New York and Chicago machinery dealers attended the sales yesterday.

ACTING GOV. STERLING ACTS

Springfield, Ill., July 28.—(AP)—Requestion papers for Hazel Day, held in a detention home in Detroit were issued here today the first requisition signed by Acting Gov. Sterling. The girl is wanted in Christian County on a larceny charge.

AL CAPONE HAS
SURRENDERED TO
FEDERAL AGENTSChicago Cops Wait for
Him With McSwig-
gin Murder Warrant

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Alphonse "Scarface" Capone, chief of the underworld of the turbulent suburb of Cicero, sought since the machine gun assassination of Assistant State's Attorney McSwiggin and two other men was brought into the federal building today by federal agents to whom he had surrendered.

Bondsmen were there to arrange for his release but so was Chief of Detectives William Schoemaker with a warrant charging Capone with the murder of McSwiggin.

Capone has denied that he killed McSwiggin. He surrendered at the Indiana, Illinois State Line, having been in Gary, Ind., Agents Pat M. Roche and C. L. Converse of the special intelligence unit of the revenue bureau said.

Among the bondsmen was Louis Cowen, editor of the Cicero Tribune, who scheduled property valued at \$175,000. The bond had been fixed at \$25,000 by Federal Judge Wilkerson.

Schoemaker planned to take his prisoner before a special grand jury investigating vice frauds but with power to inquire into other crimes. A preceding special grand jury had investigated the McSwiggin slaying but did not fix responsibility.

POLO NEWSPAPER IS
IN THE HANDS OF A
NEW MANAGEMENTC. H. Hemmingway Has
Sold to Wagner and
Terry

The Tri-County Press, an old established newspaper at Polo, in Ogle county, has changed ownership. C. H. Hemmingway, who has been editor and sole owner for three years and who has been active as head of the paper for many years, has sold his interests to John J. Wagner a former partner in the business and G. C. Terry, who has been identified with the institution since May 1, this year.

Mr. Wagner was on the Tri-County Press staff for fifteen years, during ten of which he was part owner and foreman of the mechanical department. Three years ago he sold out his share to Mr. Hemmingway and was for a time in Rochelle. About a year ago he came back to assume foremanship in the Polo paper.

Mr. Terry is a young man of splendid newspaper training, who has demonstrated his ability as a newspaper editor. He graduated from his journalistic course in the Iowa State College in the class of '23 and was a member of the staff of the Ottumwa Courier in that state before coming to Polo this spring.

The new owners will make no radical change in the policies of the paper, it is announced, and will continue their printing and publishing business along the lines which have made the paper so successful under preceding managements. We predict a promising future for them.

Mr. Hemmingway, who has many years in a manner that has indicated ability and courage, has made no announcement of his plans for the future.

Penny Improves Road
From Lowell Pk West

Commissioner of Highways James Penny is this week engaged in the improvement of Dixon township's part of the road which runs from the Belier farm, south of Lowell Park, west to State Highway No. 2, and the improvement, when completed, will provide a fine new detour for motoring parties from Dixon. The road is being gravelled by the Dixon commissioner as far as the Palmyra township line.

Bates and Rogers Have
Moved Their Machinery

The Bates & Rogers Construction Co., engaged for the past eight months in the construction of an addition to the Illinois Northern Utilities Company's steam electric plant in the west part of the city, yesterday completed loading their machinery and material, and today all their paraphernalia was shipped to Waukegan.

GETS \$10 AND VOSTS.

Carl Burgess was fined \$10 and costs by Justice of the Peace J. O. Shaulis this morning on a charge of intoxication. He was taken in custody by the police on Third street Tuesday evening.

T. E. CLINIC AT ASHTON

The Lee County Tuberculosis Clinic will be held in the school building at Ashton on Thursday, July 29 between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 p. m.

SENATOR'S ATTORNEY IN
ACCOUNT OF WHERE THE
\$350,000 WAS PLACEDU. S. Senate Committee Told That McKinley
Paid All Expenses of His Primary
Campaign

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Support of the powerful Crowe-Barrett faction of Cook County, was promised Senator William B. McKinley in the recent Illinois republican senatorial primary contest, but was not delivered. Henry I. Green of Urbana, attorney to the senator, testified today before the senate campaign funds committee.

McKinley, had several conferences with leaders of the faction which succeeded in nominating its county ticket and also took up with Green the matter of the amount of money that he should turn over to this faction for use in the campaign.

"I suggested \$1,000 a ward," Green testified "but the senator neither agreed nor disagreed with me. We thought for a long time they would go along with us, but they didn't."

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Senator William B. McKinley decided to stand all of the expenses of his fight for renomination in the recent Illinois primary, Henry I. Green, his attorney, testified today before the Senate campaign funds committee.

In line with that policy, the senator, who was defeated for the republican senatorial nomination by Frank L. Smith, accepted no outside contributions, Green said. It was disclosed yesterday that the campaign cost McKinley \$350,616.72.

Green declared that this method of financing the campaign might seem "singular", but that the idea was that of the senate in which he concurred. The witness said there may have been some small sums spent for services rendered by others but that all he had heard of would not exceed \$5,000.

Mrs. McCormick Aided
"Pardon me," he added, "I understand that Mrs. McCormick was to have spent some money for advertising in foreign language newspapers, but whether she did or not, I do not know."

"Were there not a large number of circulars sent out by individuals or groups of individuals?", asked Senator Reed.

"There were but I paid the expense out of his funds," Green replied.

McKinley's Donations
Chairman Reed turned the inquiry back to McKinley's donations to charitable and educational institutions.

"Do you know of a man named Hill being in the state to speak for the world court?"

"John Wesley Hill?" the witness said, and with Reed's help identified him as the chancellor of Lincoln Memorial University in Kentucky.

"In 1923," said Green "I was directed to have re-issued for the benefit of this school \$5,000 in stock held by Senator McKinley. That is the only contribution I know of by the senator to that university."

Hill and McKinley had been friends for years, the witness knew, and it was his impression that Hill came to Illinois to speak in the recent primary without getting any money for it except his expenses.

One From Outside

Green said several persons spoke for McKinley or for the world court during the campaign but could think of none but Hill from outside the state.

Green testified that General John F. Dickson and J. H. Barnhart, former aid to the late Senator McCormick were factors in McKinley's campaign in speaking or providing speakers.

"I think I paid Barnhart something over \$5,000 and something less than \$10,000; I should say it was between \$5,000 and \$7,000. Out of that I paid General Dickson."

The witness said he did not have a full list of expenses in the campaign, but did have some notes.

"The largest single amount any individual received from me was to John W. Stipes, of Champaign, neighbor of the senator, who was in what has been called the Champaign office," Green testified.

McKinley did not want Stipes to incur any personal expenses, Green said, adding that in all he had paid over to Stipes "right around \$100,000."

"I know that Mr. Stipes paid a large printing bill," Green said. "There were in his office 15 people busy in campaign work and I know he had a large payroll. He would tell me about it and I would furnish him the money."

Andrew Russell Aided
"Between \$30,000 and \$40,000 was advanced to Andrew W. Russell, in charge of one of McKinley's two Chicago offices, Green said.

"I advanced to Mr. Willoughby as

I thought \$50,000," Green added, "but Mr. Willoughby says it was \$55,000 and undoubtedly his recollection is better than mine. I gave \$30,000 to Mr. Roy O. West."

Willoughby is secretary to Senator McKinley and West is head of the Deeney group of the republican party in Cook County.

"In southern Illinois, H. E. Morgan, is a lawyer at Christopher," Green went on. "We asked him to cover the 22 southern counties of the state, distribute the literature, do home traveling and have general supervision. Mr. Morgan says the total he received from me and Mr. Stipes was about \$25,000. About \$5,000 was part of what I had given Stipes."

"In addition to all that I paid personally a great many bills for printing, advertising, etc."

Green listed several items totaling \$43,000 of which \$20,000 was paid to Lord & Thomas of Chicago.

Many Payments Unrecorded
The expenditures listed by Green totalled \$239,000 leaving \$61,000 unaccounted for, Senator Reed called attention to this.

"I'll say frankly," Green replied, "that in the campaign a great many people would come to me and it was not unusual for me to give them \$1,000 or \$500 or \$200. Anyhow, it's all in there."

Do you remember about the remaining \$50,000 or so? Reed asked.

"Well, I remember what was done down in Madison, Bond and St. Clair counties. We spent \$7,500 down there."

"Who did you give the money to?", Reed inquired.

"L. E. Fisher of East St. Louis," "Who was Fisher associated with at East St. Louis?"

"Oh, I don't know, a great many people."

"Do you know Charles Scendery, Philip M. Hitchcock, John J. Faulkner?"

Green knew only Faulkner and but slightly.

"At Belleville, E. K. Johnson was the man we looked to," Green said.

"R. O. Sheppard was U. S. Deputy Marshall at East St. Louis and we looked to him also for information. I assume these were the men Mr. Fisher was in touch with."

"There were some counties to which I sent money," Green said, "Kankakee, Grundy and Jackson constitute a senatorial district. We finally persuaded a Mr. Jeffries to help us out down there and I paid the expenses. We put \$3,500 into those three counties. Of that Mr. Barnhart took \$1,900 down there."

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Open High Low Close

WHEAT—

July 1.42 1.45 1.42 1.43

Sept. 1.41 1.43 1.40 1.40

Dec. 1.45 1.47 1.45 1.45

CORN—

July 78 80 77 77

Sept. 83 85 82 82

Dec. 87 89 87 88

OATS—

July 41 42 41 41

Sept. 44 44 43 43

Dec. 46 47 46 46

RYE—

July 1.04 1.06 1.04 1.04

Sept. 1.06 1.08 1.06 1.06

Dec. 1.10 1.12 1.10 1.10

LARD—

Sept. 15.75 15.75 15.60 15.60

Oct. 15.75 15.75 15.60 15.60

RIBS—

July 16.12 16.12 15.90 15.90

Sept. 17.97 17.97 17.97 17.97

BELLIES—

July 18.10 18.10 18.10 18.10

Sept. 18.10 18.10 18.10 18.10

Chicago Produce

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Potatoes receipts 71 cars; U. S. shipments 476; on track 198; steady on sacks stronger on barrels; Kansas and Missouri sacked cobs 1.75@1.85; Virginia barrel cobs 3.50@4.00.

Poultry alive, steady; receipts 1.1 cars; fowls 24; broilers 23@26 1/2; springs 32; turkeys 36; roosters 18 1/2; ducks 22@25; geese 20.

Butter higher; receipts 9973 tubs; creamery extras 35 1/2; standards 36 1/2; extra firsts 37 1/2; firsts 35 1/2; seconds 33 1/2.

Eggs: unchanged; receipts 12,328 cases.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 red 1.44 1/2@1.45; No. 2 red 1.44 1/2@1.45; No. 1 hard 1.44 1/2@1.45; No. 2 hard 1.43 1/2@1.44; No. 1 dark 1.46@1.47 1/2; No. 2 dark 1.42 1/2.

Corn No. 6 mixed 72 1/2@73; No. 1 yellow 87 1/2; No. 2 yellow 87 1/2; No. 3 yellow 86; No. 4 yellow 82@83 1/2; No. 6 yellow 76 1/2; No. 2 white 86 1/2@87 1/2; No. 4 white 82; No. 6 white 72 1/2; sample grade 68@70.

Oats No. 2 white 45 1/2@46; No. 3 white 43 1/2@44; No. 4 white 44 1/2; sample grade 41 1/2.

Barley No. 1, 1.08 1/2; Timothy seed 5.75@6.75; Clover seed 12.00@23.00; Lard 15.50; Ribs 16.12; Bellies 17.97.

Liberty Bonds Close

New York, July 28.—(AP)—Liberty bonds close: 3 1/2s 101.2; 2nd 100.4; 2nd 4 1/2s 101.4; 2nd 4 1/2s 100.25; 2nd 4 1/2s 101.8; 4th 4 1/2s 102.16; Treasury 3 1/2s 100.4; New 4 1/2s 103.30; New 4 1/2s 107.28.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, July 28.—(AP)—Hogs: 17,000; 15@25c lower than Tuesday or 10@15c lower than average; top 12.75 paid for 140 to 180 lb. averages; bulk desirable 160 to 210 lbs. 13.40@13.65; 220 to 270 lbs. 12.50@13.15; 280 to 370 lb. butchers 12.00@12.35; packing hogs 9.85@10.75; slaughter pigs 13.25@13.75; heavy hogs 12.00@13.00; medium 12.35@13.75; light 13.00@13.75; light lights 13.10@13.75.

Cattle 12,000; fat steer trade on specialty basis; buyers showing some action on choice yearlings at 10.00 up; early top 10.35; heavies in liberal supply.

Too Late to Classify

NOTICE.

ALL CLASSIFIED ADS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE MONEY. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE. NO ADVERTISEMENTS COUNTED LESS THAN 25 WORDS.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS—5 percent, 6 1/2 percent and 8 1/2 percent upon the value of land per acre. Reasonable commission. In reply give number of acres and value per acre.

Savings Bank of Kewanee, Kewanee, Illinois.

FOR SALE—White paper for the picnic supper table. Saves your table linen, is cheap and looks well. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 11

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Nearly new 5-room modern bungalow. 3 blocks from city center. Garage, good neighborhood. Young or middle-aged couple preferred. Phone R526. 17613

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile truck. Equipped with farm body. This truck is in good mechanical condition, also good tires. Murray Auto Co. 77 Hennepin Ave. Phone 100. 17613

LOST—A diamond ring, Tuesday. White gold mounting. Reward if returned to this office. 17613

FOR SALE—Used Chaff Bros. piano \$85; used Schaff Bros. Rosewood piano \$85. Good tone. These pianos make fine practice pianos. Terms if desired. Kennedy Music Co. 11

FOR SALE—Restaurant. Fully equipped, doing good business, in growing factory district. Living quarters in connection. Will sell at once, very cheap. Rent 2 years lease, with privilege of renewing. Sell on account of other business out of town. Call or write for further information. E. J. Cahoun, 216 E. Stephenson St., Freeport, Ill. c/o Kitchen Cafe. 11

WANTED—Room free, with privilege of getting breakfast, to middle-aged lady, for company. Reply, "S. S. 8," Box 185, Dixon, Ill. 11

PAVING BIDS FOR EAST END OPENED: TO BE LET TUESDAY

Dixon Avenue, East First St. and Artesian Place Projects

Bids for two more items in Dixon's public improvement program for the year were received and opened by the Board of Local Improvements at Tuesday evening's meeting of the city council, the proposals being on the concrete paving projects for Dixon Avenue and East First Street under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 226, and on Artesian Place, under Ordinance No. 227. The bids were as follows:

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The contract for the above improvements will be awarded at a meeting of the Board of Improvements, to be held in connection with the next regular meeting of the council next Tuesday evening.

Bush Gets Contract.

The council awarded the contract for the construction of a concrete culvert over the drainage ditch in Fargo Avenue to Barney Bush of this city, the contract price being \$265. Other bids received were: Frank Hughes, \$265; G. S. Andrews, \$355; C. F. Nesbit, \$298; and Stephan & Henry, \$375.

Payment of Stephan & Henry's bill for paving the city's auto park on the river bank, east of the bridge was authorized, the amount being \$1,544.20; and Hugh Curran, Sr., was appointed as inspector of the Ottawa Avenue concrete paving improvement.

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RICE TO BUILD NEW HOTEL FOR DEKALB ACCORDING TO PLAN

Former Dixon Hotel Man Offers DeKalb People a Proposition

M. E. Rice, former Dixonite, who after he remodelled and enlarged the Nachusa Tavern here, built new hotels in Sterling and Elgin and rehabilitated one in Freeport, is about to erect a new hotel in DeKalb. He met with DeKalb business men in that city Tuesday evening and submitted his plans, which met with approval of those interested.

The Chronicle of DeKalb has the following concerning Mr. Rice's proposal:

DeKalb is to have a new hotel that will probably be opened about the first of May of 1927. Announcement to this effect was made Tuesday following a conference between bankers and business men of DeKalb and M. E. Rice of Elgin, hotel proprietor and owner.

A site for the new building has been selected. Mr. Rice has presented a rough plan of the building he proposes to erect and he has outlined to the business men his plan of construction and finance. The entire matter has been so well considered, so well planned, and appears so flawless that it is considered the most logical method of solving the hotel problem in this town that has been given to DeKalb merchants for consideration.

Mr. Rice only makes one request of the people of DeKalb. He asks that they purchase a site on which he may erect the hotel building, following the plan he has explained to business men of the town, and which has been approved by these men.

One of the points of the Rice hotel proposition that has won favorable comment whenever broached is that there will be no stock subscription for the new structure. Mr. Rice will finance the building of the hotel with the aid of a bond issue that can be easily handled by the banks of this city.

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Local Briefs

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Mrs. John O'Neill and children of Mitchell, S. D. are here visiting their sisters, Mrs. Harry Johnson and Mrs. Will Lindbloom.

Mrs. J. E. Reagan was in Clinton Tuesday, attending the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Wilson, whose sudden death Sunday was chronicled in Monday's Telegraph.

Henry Hellemer, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, transacted business in Polo Tuesday.

Mrs. E. C. Lundsten and Mrs. Blake Grover are in Garfield, Minn., visiting Mrs. Lundsten's mother.

Roy Bridges is very ill with diabetes. His suffering is intense.

Mrs. John Earle of Minneapolis is here visiting her parents Attorney and Mrs. E. E. Wingert.

Mrs. H. O. Bardwell and daughter, Clara Gwen, Mrs. Oliver Rogers and Miss Lenore Rosbrook motored to Rockford today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raffenberg have moved to the Assembly Park for their usual summer outing there.

Miss Louise and Jim Withers have gone to Peoria to visit their aunt, Mrs. W. W. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Anderson and sons, Dorman and Charles, visited in Rochelle yesterday with Mr. Anderson's brother-in-law, L. W. Colson, the clothier.

Arthur Emerson of Oregon was a Dixon business visitor yesterday.

Miss Margaret McCoy who is enjoying a vacation from her duties at the O. H. Martin Dry Goods store, is visiting in Chicago.

Miss Lula Stothower of the Geisenheimer Dry Goods store is enjoying a vacation.

Walter Aries of Rockford was a Dixon caller Tuesday.

William Nixon of the Geisenheimer Dry Goods store has returned to work during a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bristow of Des Moines, Ill., were here Tuesday morning on their way to Clinton, Ia., to visit friends.

Pearl Harriek, always popular in Dixon, was down from Rockford yesterday, calling on friends.

Mrs. Rodney Ayres has returned to her work at the Geisenheimer store after a month's vacation spent at Evanston, Milwaukee, Wis., and Ludington, Mich.

Miss Bernice Rasmussen of Tamplin was a Dixon visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Avery of PawPaw transacted business in Dixon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Banks of Ashland were here on business this morning.

Arthur Reeves of Mr. Carroll, was a Dixon business visitor today.

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Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mosely of Morrison were here today calling on friends and shopping.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Contributions for This Page Welcomed

Contributions to the society column are desired by the Telegraph, and all persons having news or having friends to visit them are requested to telephone the society editor at phone No. 1. Accounts of parties, dances, marriages and announcements of engagements also are desired. If items are mailed to the office they must bear the signature and address of the sender, not for publication, but as evidence of good faith. Write plainly, on one side of the page only.

For society editor, call 1, Telegraph. As a rule, items which are held over for several days before reaching this office will not be used, for the news is only news at the time it occurs.

Wednesday.
M. E. Women's Bible Class Picnic—Mrs. Rowe's Cottage, Assembly Park.

Kingdom-Mt. Union Aid Society—Mrs. T. R. Hintz, R. F. D. 4, Daysville Road.

Picnic luncheon for the ladies—Dixon Country Club.

Thursday.
Dorcas Society, West Side Congregational Church—Picnic at Assembly Park.

Eion Household Science Club—Mrs. Frank Metz, R. F. D. 1, Harmon.

Picnic Supper for Modern Woodmen and families and Royal Neighbors and families—Lowell Park.

Friday.
Baldwin Auxiliary, U. S. W. V., and Baldwin Post and their families—Picnic supper, Mrs. Fred Hobbs, 424 Barker Ave.

TO HELEN—
Helen, thy beauty is to me
Like those of the Nemean barks of yore,
That gently o'er a perfumed sea,
The weary, way-worn wanderer
Bore
To his own native shore.

On desperate seas long wont to roam,
Thy hyacinth hair, thy classic face
Thy Naiad airs have brought me home
To the glory that was Greece,
And the grandeur that was Rome.

Lo! in yon brilliant window-niche
How statue-like I see thee stand,
The agate lamp within thy hand,
Ah, Psyche, from the regions which
Are Holy-Land!

—Edgar Allan Poe.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO HOLD PICNIC THURSDAY P. M.—

The Royal Neighbors will hold a picnic Thursday afternoon at Lowell Park, the picnic supper to be served at 6:30. Bring sandwiches and one dish of food, enough for a serving of ten. One should also take their own dishes and silver. A good time is planned by the social committee. All Royal Neighbors and families and Modern Woodmen and families are cordially invited. Supper will be served not later than 6:30.

MISS MYERS HOSTESS AT PARTY—

Miss Pauline Myers was hostess at her home in Polo at one of a series of parties given for Miss Elizabeth Hersch, who is to be married in the near future. The color scheme was green and white. The guests were Misses Helen Davis, Mildred Sweet, Irene Graehling, Helen Zick, Pauline Hedrick and Mrs. A. J. Hersch.

A three course luncheon was served. Each guest presented Miss Hersch with a piece of aluminum.

OUTING AT COTTAGE ON LAUDERDALE LAKES, WIS.—

Mrs. C. G. Macklin, Hall Macklin, and Walter Sikkema of Fulton, went to Elkhorn, Wis., yesterday to spend some time at the Henry W. Burch cottage on Lauderdale Lakes. They are to be joined tomorrow by Amos Graham of Sterling, Dorothy Helmick of Dixon and Cecile Kennedy of this city.—Whiteside Sentinel.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER TUESDAY EVENING—

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Barnes of South Dixon entertained a company of friends at dinner last evening, followed by an evening at cards.

TO RETURN TO CHICAGO AFTER VISIT HERE—

Attorneys Dorman and Charles Anderson will return Sunday to Chicago after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson in this city.

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Oregon Bachelor Girls Annual Picnic

Umzooewe, the Oregon Bachelor Girls, organization, held its thirtieth annual picnic Tuesday in Rockford, meeting at Sunnyside park for a day's picnic and program.

Festivities began with a parade in Oregon, featuring many costumes and clever characters. Automobiles transported the club members to Rockford in time for the picnic dinner at 12:30 o'clock.

A secret program was arranged for the afternoon and initiation of 15 new members took place before evening, as well as the counting of the fatal "99 cents," which are collected from members who break the Umzooewe pledge by marrying.

The club is one of high standing in Oregon and a source of much amusement to its members. The annual picnic is anticipated with interest by the entire community.

ARE ATTENDING REUNION LANPHER FAMILY—

Mrs. Ira Lanpher and little son, Neddy, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Howell, in this city, returned about a week ago to their home in Madison, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanpher and son left a week ago yesterday for South Dakota, where at one of the lakes the Lanpher family is holding a reunion.

The Lanphers motored to South Dakota and en route stopped at Fairbault, Minn., at St. Mary's Episcopal school, to view the new school buildings being erected in place of the ones razed by fire.

Mrs. Otto Peters Happily Surprised

Thirty members of the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Patrick's Catholic church held a delightful surprise Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Otto Peters, past president of the organization. Mr. and Mrs. Peters expect to move to Clinton, Ia., in the near future, to reside, and their many friends regret their anticipated departure.

During the afternoon the guests were favored with vocal solos by Miss Mary Louise Withers, accompanied at the piano by Miss Justine Feeley, the music being greatly enjoyed by all. Two dances by Miss Kathleen Nagle, in ballet costume were equally enjoyed, as the little

girls, will enjoy a picnic supper Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Hobbs, 424 Barker avenue. All attending should take with them their own sandwiches, and another article of food, enough to serve ten people; and picnicers should also have with them their own dishes and silver.

Golden Wedding Was Celebrated

Rockford.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Gibboney, 117 North Independence avenue, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home Monday. The couple were married July 26, 1876, in Polo and came to Rockford in 1890.

Mrs. Juan Homs, Brooklyn, N. Y., their daughter, and Attorney Robert M. Gibboney, their son, were with Mr. and Mrs. Gibboney yesterday.

RETURN FROM PLEASANT VACATION TRIP—

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Miller are at home from a vacation spent with Mrs. Miller's parents, at Nelsonville, Mo. Miss Mona Phillips of Emerson, Mo., accompanied them on their return journey and will enjoy her vacation in Dixon.

IS ENTERTAINING TWO LITTLE GRANDDAUGHTERS—

Mrs. C. E. Hollister, who resides near Eldon, is entertaining her two little granddaughters, Janie and Jeanette Worsley, who live near Triumph, Ill. The little girls will stay for two weeks.

MRS. DILLE TO VISIT IN DIXON—

Mrs. John Dille and two sons of Chicago, were expected to arrive today to be guests at the home of Mrs. Anna Crabtree, Mrs. Dille's mother.

ARE VISITING MR. AND MRS. LENNON IN DAVENPORT—

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Lennon of Dixon, are in Davenport, Iowa, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lennon.

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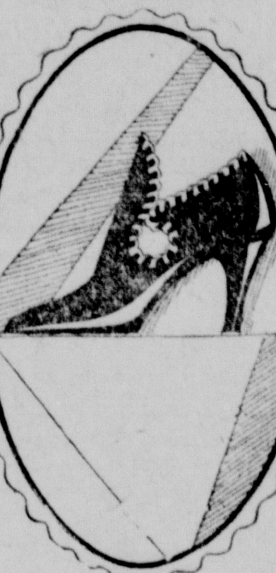
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Later delicious refreshments were served.

Before departing the guests presented Mrs. Peters with a handsome mirror, as a token of their esteem and friendship. Mrs. Peters values the gift highly.

Enjoyable Bridge Party Friday Eve

On Friday evening Mrs. Dement Schuler was hostess at a most enjoyable bridge party, the rooms at her attractive home being gay with summer flowers, in the brilliant hues.

Clyde Ross won the favor for the high score, and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson was awarded the favor for the low score.

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Harmon.—Ambrose Hermes motored to Tampico Thursday evening and called on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hecker and son motored to Dixon Sunday and were entertained with dinner at the Clarence Hecker home.

Carl Knoll of Chicago and John Knoll of Elgin spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knoll.

Martin McDermott has purchased a new auto.

H. M. Ostrander, wife and daughter Miss Darlene, motored to Tampico Thursday afternoon and visited at the John McDonnell home. Miss Darlene remaining for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Blackburn were business callers in Amboy the latter part of the week.

Miss Agnes Hermes returned home from Tampico Sunday after spending two weeks' vacation with her grand mother, Mrs. Mary Walls.

A number of our young folks motored to Amboy Saturday evening and attended the pavilion dance.

Misses Emma and Florence McCormick of Chicago spent the weekend here with their mother, Mrs. James McCormick.

Miss Janet Gaskell started to work in the telephone office in Sterling the fore part of the week.

John Jacobs, wife and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Leonard and son, Daniel, were business callers in Dixon Saturday.

Chris Henkel, wife and children of West Brooklyn spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Richard Long.

Mrs. George Leonard motored to Dixon Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Egler and children of Rockford spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin McDermott.

Bud Jortner and wife were in Dixon Monday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dougerty of Sterling spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lally and daughter, Miss Janette, were Saturday evening passengers here from Chicago to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ethredge.

Mr. and his parents in Walton, J. E. Lally.

James Scanlon, wife and children were business callers in Dixon Saturday afternoon.

Lloyd Considine was a business caller in Dixon Monday.

Miss Orville Dempsey of Walton spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Fitzsimmons.

Emmet Root and wife of Dixon spent Sunday here with her father, James Morrissey.

Miss Darlene Ostrander returned from Tampico Sunday afternoon spending a few days at the John McDonnell home.

Lagore Welch motored here from Dixon the latter part of the week.

OHIO NEWS NOTES

OHIO.—T. J. Burke of Dixon was a business caller in town Wednesday.

Mrs. G. D. Morton and daughter, Miss Helen, were Princeton visitors Wednesday.

F. C. Albrecht went to Chicago Wednesday evening with a carload of hogs.

A great many Ohioans attended the Robbins Brothers' circus in Princeton Thursday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Joslyn of Brush, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. John Rapp of Mendota called on friends here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hey and little daughter of Decatur visited over Sunday with Mrs. Hey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dewey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Powers and sons spent Sunday with relatives in Amboy.

Cecil and John Stevenson went to Lake Zurich Thursday morning for a visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Peter Jensen Jr.

The fire alarm was sounded about noon Sunday when smoke was seen to be issuing from the roof of the residence of Mrs. Mary Gorman, but fortunately a few pails of water quenched the flames before any serious damage was done.

Twin boys were born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ethredge.

J. D. Hawke and family spent Sunday at the C. E. Conner home in Meriden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen of Dixon spent Monday with relatives here.

Frank Hewitt of Walnut was a business caller in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Shultz of Chicago spent the first of the week at the home of Mrs. Shultz's father, John Underline.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Merritt of Varna, former residents of this place, were guests over Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Pomroy.

John Hillier of Mendota who had been ill for the past three weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Beyer in this city, was found dead in bed Monday morning. Immediately after the coroner's inquest the remains were taken to his late home in Mendota.

Lodge News

A. F. & A. M. TO MEET
A special meeting of Friendship Lodge No. 7 A. F. & A. M. for degree work will be held this evening.

A French scientist has invented an organ from which music is produced by jets of flame instead of air.

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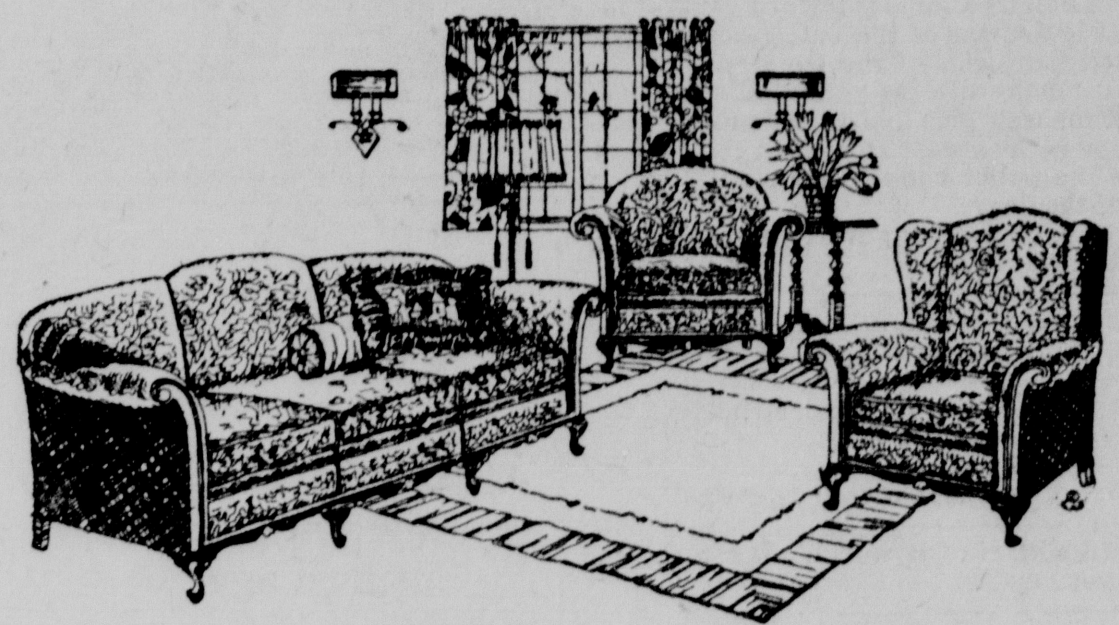
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TEXAS IS A GARDEN.

The cattlemen of Texas are in a complacent mood, for the grass is plentiful and the great cattle country of the southwest part of the state, usually a vast expanse of sunburned plain and hill, is a veritable garden.

And now the grass is thick and long and succulent—food is plenty for the hundreds of thousands of grazing—more than enough, in fact.

The abnormal rains this spring are the cause. Cattlemen say that not in several years has there been so much vegetation in the country between San Antonio and El Paso. Last year was a year of drought.

But this year they anticipate rich profits, and many is the mortgage that will be lifted in Texas, many are the gilded bonds that will be bought and many the buying spree planned.

Beef raising is a precarious occupation; unfavorable weather can shrink up all the profits; a cattle disease can play havoc. But the breeders of the famed Texas longhorn are in for a period of rejoicing, and we who buy and eat their beef are glad.

CRIME NEVER PAYS.

Major Kempi, of the Finnish army, decided to see Paris. He was walking along one of the "rues" when something attracted his attention. May have been a mademoiselle. May have been the window display of a wine shop.

It doesn't matter. The point is—a pickpocket slipped a hand into Major Kempi's pocket and pinched his wallet. This happens daily. And the regulation editorial comment should be, "Keep your mind on your business," or something similar.

But you haven't heard all of the case. Later in the day, the major reachedw for his wallet. It was gone. In its place was a valuable diamond ring. The ring had slipped off the crook's finger. Among the lessons to be drawn from this are:

- 1—Never be in too big a hurry, not even if you are a crook.
- 2—People who pick pockets should not wear stones.
- 3—Crime never pays.

Speedy justice overlooked the unknown Paris pickpocket, who lost a valuable ring, and gained only a few dollars.

The penalty, while almost instantaneous, was not exceptionally fast. The moment you do a crooked deed, you lose a certain amount of self respect and gain something of far less value.

THE TRIAL OF YOUR DOLLAR.

Every home in the country pays tribute for gas, electricity, water or some form of public utility. Perhaps it has not occurred to us that the utilities themselves also must pay rent.

At present the public utilities of the country are contributing about 700 million dollars annually toward general taxation. This is about one-quarter of the entire amount paid by all the incorporated industries of the country.

The public utility company divides your dollar into cost of fuel, labor, interest on securities and various other items. But the most interesting is the great tax burden the companies bear, pouring into the public coffers between 22 and 23 dollars every second of the day.

Any consideration of municipal or government ownership should not be without these facts.

Ambition is fine stuff. But be careful. Salmon are gold-fish that grew big enough to be eaten.

They are recovering the bodies of good swimmers who wouldn't believe the current was too swift.

A glacier would make a fine pet for the warm spell.

There are 24,000,000 autos in the world. Don't read by a dim light. It ruins your eyes.

Imagine the plight of a nervous man who got caught in a traffic jam without any horn or honk.

Bootlegging is a dangerous business. It leads a man to stealing autos. And that's against the law.

Once, a "party" was where children went and acted like grown-ups. Now, it's where grown-ups go and act like children.

A liberty bell never gives a wedding ring.

Ten million feet of lumber destroyed by a Detroit fire would have made enough matches to smoke a pipe.

Let's take the cars away from reckless drivers. Then our streets will be safe, and quiet—and deserted.

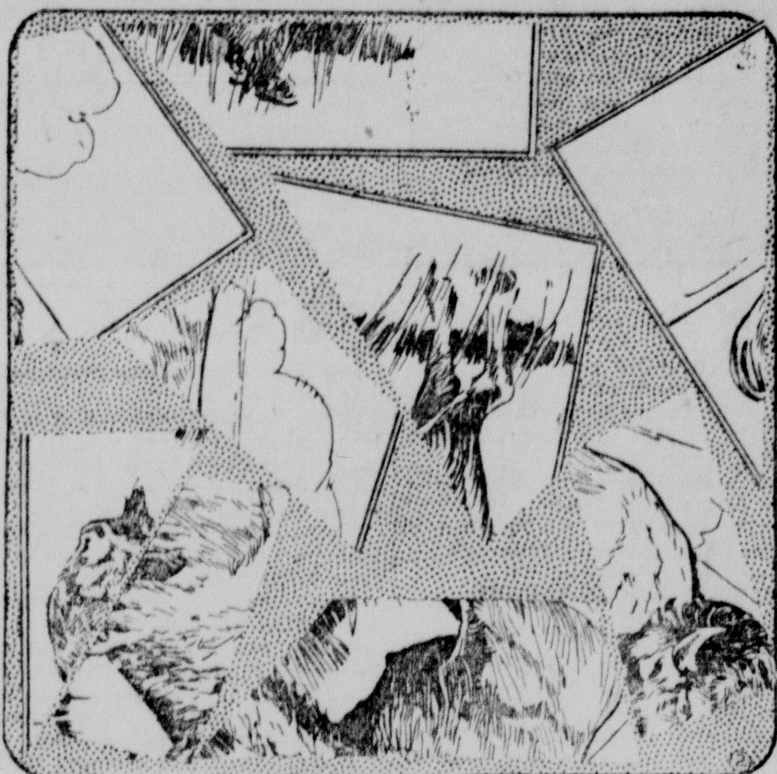
You are making a serious mistake when you learn nothing from it.

"D. T's" is the abbreviation for "delirium tremens." And also for "debts." The two are about the same.

Statistics show there are about 200,000,000 dolls in the United States, not counting the human ones.

TINTED CUT-UPS

Cut Out the Pieces, Paste Them Together Correctly, Color the Sketch, and Fill in the Missing Word.



In Indian days of long ago,
The Indians fought the
Then white men came,
And now it's tame,
And folk just see them in a show.

ON THE AIR

THURSDAY'S PROGRAM

5:00 P. M.

WBAL Baltimore—Sandman Circle; orchestra.

WRNY New York—Sports; commerce; Catholic Circle; orchestra.

WGHP Detroit—Concert.

WREO Lansing, Mich.—Concert.

WBZ Springfield, Mass.—Variety.

WWJ Detroit—Concert.

WTAM Cleveland—Orchestra.

WMAQ Chicago—Organ; orchestra.

WJZ New York—Orchestra.

WEAF New York—Hymn sing; or orchestra.

WCX Detroit—Orchestra.

WNYC New York—Variety.

6:00 P. M.

WBAL Baltimore—Orchestra.

WMBB Chicago—Musical.

WORD Chicago—Program and talk.

WCAU Philadelphia—Serenaders.

WGBS New York—Talks; orchestra.

WLS Chicago—Variety.

WDAF Kansas City—Markets; book review; orchestra.

WLW Cincinnati—Orchestra.

WQJ Chicago—Concert.

WJZ New York—Variety.

WRC Washington—Radio movie; band.

WTIC Hartford, Conn.—Variety.

WEAF New York—Musical; Harp; orchestra. To WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WTAM, WFL, WCAE, WEEL.

WIP Philadelphia—Sesqui-Centennial concert.

WJR Detroit—Orchestra, soloists.

WOAW Omaha—Organ; scores; mar kets; piano.

7:00 P. M.

WSOE Milwaukee—Dinner concert.

WBAL Baltimore—Trio.

WREO Lansing—Varied musical.

WGBS New York—Vocal.

WBZ Springfield, Mass.—Organ; Hawaiian half hour.

WLS Chicago—News reports; musical.

WJJD Mooseheart, Ill.—Musie by children.

WLW Cincinnati—Dance music.

WTIC Hartford, Conn.—Quartet.

WFAA Dallas—Orchestra.

WEAF New York—Eskimos. To WTAM, WGN, WJAR, WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WTAM, WFL, WCCO, WCAE, WEEL, WOC, KSD.

WIP Philadelphia—Concert.

WCX Detroit—Detroit Symphony.

8:00 P. M.

WBAL Baltimore—Orchestra.

WSOE Milwaukee—Bible class.

WMBB Chicago—Orchestra and soloists.

WRVA Richmond, Va.—Frolie.

WGBS New York—Orchestra.

WBZ Springfield, Mass.—Musical.

WCHD Zion, Ill.—Orchestra and mixed quartet.

WTAM Cleveland—Studio.

WHAS Louisville—Concert.

WBB Atlanta—Concert.

KLSB Independence, Mo.—Studio.

WRC Washington—Orchestra.

WBAP Ft. Worth—Orchestra.

WTIC Hartford, Conn.—Orchestra.

KGW Portland—Concert.

WEAF New York—Orchestra, To WADC, WTAM, WGN, WJAR, WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WFL, WCCO, WCAE, WEEL, WOC, KSD.

WIP Philadelphia—Dance music.

WJR Detroit—Orchestra.

WJZ New York—Variety.

WLS Chicago—Sam 'n Henry; musical.

KNX Los Angeles—Feature program.

CFCA Toronto, Canada—Orchestra.

WJJD Mooseheart, Ill.—Quartet.

KHJ Los Angeles—Scripture reading.

WLW Cincinnati—Variety.

KPO San Francisco—Orchestra.

WQJ Chicago—Orchestra (4 hours).

WFAA Dallas—Variety.

WOC Davenport—Musical; weather.

WEAF New York—Orchestra.

WIP Philadelphia—Dance music.

WOAW Omaha—Musical.

10:00 P. M.

KNX Los Angeles—Courtesy program.

WTAM Cleveland—Orchestra.

KHJ Los Angeles—Musical.

WLW Cincinnati—Musical varieties.

KPO San Francisco—Studio.

WBAP Ft. Worth—Entertainers.

KGW Portland, Ore.—Vaudeville program.

WIP Philadelphia—Organ.

11:00 P. M.

WGHP Detroit—Orchestra.

KNX Los Angeles—Variety.

WSB Atlanta—Bohemian orchestra.

KPO San Francisco—Studio.

KGW Portland—Vaudeville.

12:00 (Midnight).

KNX Los Angeles—Courtesy program.

WDAF Kansas City—Frolie.

KHJ Los Angeles—Dance music.

KPO San Francisco—Orchestra.

KGW Portland—Dance tunes.

Her Own Way.

A STORY OF A GIRL OF TODAY

JOAN VISITS LELA

Before Joan could speak the words that were trembling on her lips, I fairly pulled her out of the place and said, "Thank you we will come again." "Why did you do that Judy?" she asked impatiently, pulling herself away from me. "That man would probably have helped us if we had told him that we wanted to find poor Barry's wife."

"Oh, Joan, Joan, what a trusting baby you are. That man's one object in life at the present moment is to keep you from Lela until after he gets to her, and he probably would drive her to a suicide if we don't see her first."

We fairly ran to where the taxi was waiting. Joan looked so muddled in her mind as she followed me that I almost wanted to laugh.

I mixed her up more than ever when she heard me order the taxi driver to go immediately to the Central Station. When we arrived there we found that we were in luck. A very gallant desk sergeant gave us the address immediately without my having to disclose our names.

To the officer I explained that we wanted to find out where Mrs. Barry Cornwall was, that we were much shocked upon reading the news in the morning papers, for we knew that she must be in straightened circumstances as well as that she was going to have a baby, and wanted to help her all we could.

The officer gave us the address, and we went directly to the place.

We found poor Lela in a daze. She didn't seem to have realized as yet what had happened to her. Lela Cornwall was hardly more than a child and my heart went out to her right away.

"Poor things," Joan whispered to me. "She and her husband were just like babes in the woods. And now Barry is gone I don't know what will do."

"I do my dear. Instead of making me your companion, you will make her."

Joan looked at me startled.

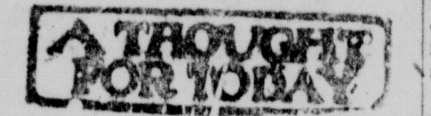
"But, Judy she doesn't know any more than I, and I want to learn." "Neither do I know any more than you, Joan," I answered. "Don't you know that it is much more pleasant to teach than to be taught?"

I went toward the bed. Lela opened her eyes languidly.

"Who are you my dear?" she asked.

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TOMORROW—A Real Friend.



Let every man be swift to hear slow to speak, slow to wrath.—Jas. 1:19.

Give not reins to your inflamed passions; take time and a little delay impetuosity manages all things badly.—Statius.

Because of the thinner clothing worn, thousands of watches go wrong during the summer months.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERNS



COLORED PEOPLE PLAN COMMUNITY CENTER HOUSE

Lease Building on Depot Ave. for Civic Center Club

Through the efforts of the Afro-American Community Service League which was organized early this year by the Rev. I. W. Bess, pastor of the African M. E. Mission on Seventh St. a long lease has been taken on the two story building at 723 Depot ave., for a Community Center house for the colored people which in reality is a Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. combined.

This will be a non-denominational, civic enterprise for the moral and religious betterment of the colored people. The second floor has seven rooms which will be fitted up for bedrooms which will be fitted up for the office, reading room, lunch room and kitchen. In the basement will be the heating plant, a barber chair, pool table, shower baths and a boys' club room. Some of the local civic clubs have expressed a willingness to assist the League in furnishing the building and it is hoped by the building committee that other local clubs will give their assistance to make the center a social home for the colored people since they have no recreational center in the city for the three hundred men, women and children that are here.

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To Get Bids on Road Work in DeKalb Co.

Springfield, Ill., July 28—(AP)—Bids on nearly twenty-five miles of road work and two bridges in LaSalle and DeKalb counties will be received and opened at the highways division here August 4.

This work includes pavement on Route 18, Section 16 in LaSalle and DeKalb counties; and sections 17, 18, 19, 20 and 20X all in LaSalle county;

grading on section 19A, LaSalle county and two overhead bridges on section 20B, LaSalle county.

BRIDGE FANS. We have received a new supply of Bridge Scores. B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO.

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Y. M. C. A. SUMMER CAMPS.

One of the parts of the program of the local Y. M. C. A. is its summer camps. The camp this year which was held the early part of June, and which was so successful, is only one of the thousands conducted by the Young Men's Christian Association.

The summer camp which is regarded by President Emeritus Elliot of Harvard University as "the greatest contribution America has made to education," continues its popularity as a vacation resort for the younger generation. This year's camp registration, according to H. W. Gibson, president of the National Camp Directors' Association of America, and state boys' work secretary for the Young Men's Christian Association in Massachusetts and Rhode Island, totals 1,000,000 for some 6,000 camps in Canada and the United States. An estimate based on the 103,153 who last year camped under Y. M. C. A. supervision, distributes nearly one-eighth of the total among association camps.

"Camp life," says Mr. Gibson, who directs Camp Becket, the Y. M. C. A. establishment in the Berkshires, "is the most ideal community life known. We use a common dining room and follow a common program for a common purpose. Boys are, as far as possible, on an equal footing financially, because of the limit placed in almost every public or private camp on spending money, and the number of gifts which may be received. Individual merit is the measure of the camper. Fellowship, inspiration, education and co-operation are the four corners of the camp program set up by the National Camp Directors' Association."

Leadership, which Mr. Gibson believes to be more important than equipment, is becoming more highly specialized each year.

The General Secretary, Boys' Work Secretary and a Representative of the Muscatine, Iowa Y. M. C. A. stopped off for a short visit at the local "Y" this morning. They are returning home after attending the "Y" Camp at Lake Geneva, Wis.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Mexico City hears unconfirmed reports that Mayor of Nohistan and his family were lynched for an attack by the mayor on a Catholic priest.

Million dollar damage reported at Palm Beach, from hurricane which still endangers shipping as it moves up seaboard.

French income tax will be increased as will the direct tax on acquired wealth.

Additional arrests are made in connection with deaths of 39 persons in western New York and Ontario from poison liquor.

Durkin is sentenced to 35 years in Joliet for slaying federal agent; motion for new trial denied.

Governors in conference at Cheyenne, Wyo., agree that prohibition enforcement by federal government is no invasion of state rights.

Flashes of Life

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
New York—Uncle Sam is enjoying boom times. His president thinks it is due in part to tax cuts. His nephews are buying more autos, for General Motors nearly doubled its profits for the first half year and surpassed the earnings of U. S. Steel, which had the largest profits since the war. Freight car loadings have made a new record, Pennsylvania, New York Central and other eastern roads show high earnings. Copper is going up.

Fex—Abd El Krem is broke. The erstwhile potentate has something like half a million francs or \$10,000 or so. And the economical French government is trying to pick out a place of exile where the cost of living is low.

New York—The wealthiest woman on the stage, presumably is Mrs. Lorraine Manville Gould, who received \$8,772,099 under the will of her father, the asbestos king. She married Jay

Gould, comedian, with her in "Plain Jane".

New York—Jeanne Eagles, who has been honeymooning for some time with her hubby, Ted Coy, is now going out of "Rain" and into "The Garden of Eden". That's the name of her new play.

P. O. Department is Protesting Against Undersized Envelopes

The Post Office Department has inaugurated a campaign against the use of small greeting cards and small envelopes, the drive being set forth in the following letter from Third Assistant Postmaster General R. S. Regar, to all postmasters:

"The use of small greeting cards and envelopes is very objectionable from a postal standpoint for the reasons set forth below, and since they are manufactured and placed in the hands of the retailers long before the time when they are sold to the general public and sent through the mails, postmasters are requested at this time to take the matter up with the local manufacturers, distributors and retailers of such cards and envelopes with a view of securing their co-operation in discouraging the use of smaller sizes.

"It should be carefully and courteously explained that the use of small cards and envelopes for mailing purposes seriously retards and disarranges the work in post offices at a time when the facilities are taxed to the utmost. Such small-sized cards and envelopes frequently cannot be run through the cancelling machines, thus necessitating cancelling the stamp by hand and other extra handlings in the course of their forwarding, distribution, etc.; the addresses are likely to be obliterated by the cancellation mark; they do not fit the separating cases in use throughout the Postal Service; and can not be tied securely with letter packages. Furthermore, there is not sufficient space for directions for forwarding, etc., in cases where it is necessary to forward such matter in order to reach the addressee.

"Every proper method should be made to secure the co-operation of the manufacturers and distributors of diminutive-sized cards and envelopes, as well as that of the public generally, in order that the service may be relieved of the burden of handling them. In this connection it should be suggested that in no case should cards and envelopes be smaller than 2 1/4 x 4 inches. A size somewhat larger is much preferable."

Ogle County Men Have Contest Over Election

Oregon—County Judge Fred E. Carpenter, Rockford, will preside in county court here Friday, when an election contest instituted by H. R. Sears, defeated candidate for township clerk in the balloting last April, will be heard.

Harry Finkbner was declared by election officials to have won the office. The vote, as tabulated was 577 for Finkbner and 576 for Sears.

Shortly after the election friends of Sears insisted that he demand a recount. He filed his petition several weeks later.

While a friendly contest, the battle for township clerk in Oregon this year was the most closely fought in the history of the township. Considerable interest is manifested in the outcome of the court action.

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INVESTIGATION IN BUS TRAFFIC TO OPEN MONDAY

Much Interest Being Taken in Chicago Hearing

Washington, D. C., July 27.—While the inquiry into campaign expenditures in the Illinois primary will command major attention from the state at large upon its opening at Chicago Monday, a hearing by federal officials of no less importance to Illinois as a whole will be in progress at the Great Northern hotel in that city having as its purpose a partial solution of the transportation tangle growing out of motor bus and truck operation.

Commissioner John J. Esch and Examiner Charles Flynn of the Interstate Commerce Commission will preside at the Great Northern hearing, the first of a series covering the entire country ordered by the commission to obtain first hand information on the regulatory problems of motor bus and motor truck operation.

Examiner Flynn explained today that Commissioner Esch and he will proceed to Chicago with no definite line of inquiry in mind. They will hear witnesses from Illinois, Wisconsin and probably Iowa for three days, but those from Illinois are expected to occupy most of the time. Each witness will probably give his views, or those of the organization he represents, as to how the federal government may best extend its regulatory power to interstate motor bus and truck traffic without imposing unnecessary traveling public.

Railroad Speakers Present.

Mid-western railroads have also been asked to send their spokesmen to the Chicago hearing to express the views of the established burdens upon the operators or the transportation systems on interstate bus traffic. It is presumed that the presiding officials will pay special attention to the railroads' side of the question, as the Interstate Commerce commission is thoroughly familiar with the problems of the rail lines and will naturally view the establishment or extension of competitive systems in its relationship to steam and electric transportation.

Commissioner Esch and Examiner Flynn will conduct most of the hearings on the motor bus problem, with Commissioner Clyde B. Atchison replacing his colleague in the far western cities. These three will formulate a report advising and suggesting to the full commission what it may best recommend to Congress as appropriate regulatory legislation. This plan is a direct outcome of the failure of the Senate Interstate Commerce committee to agree during the last session upon a bill proposing regulation of commercial motor traffic by state commissions as agents of the Interstate Commerce commission.

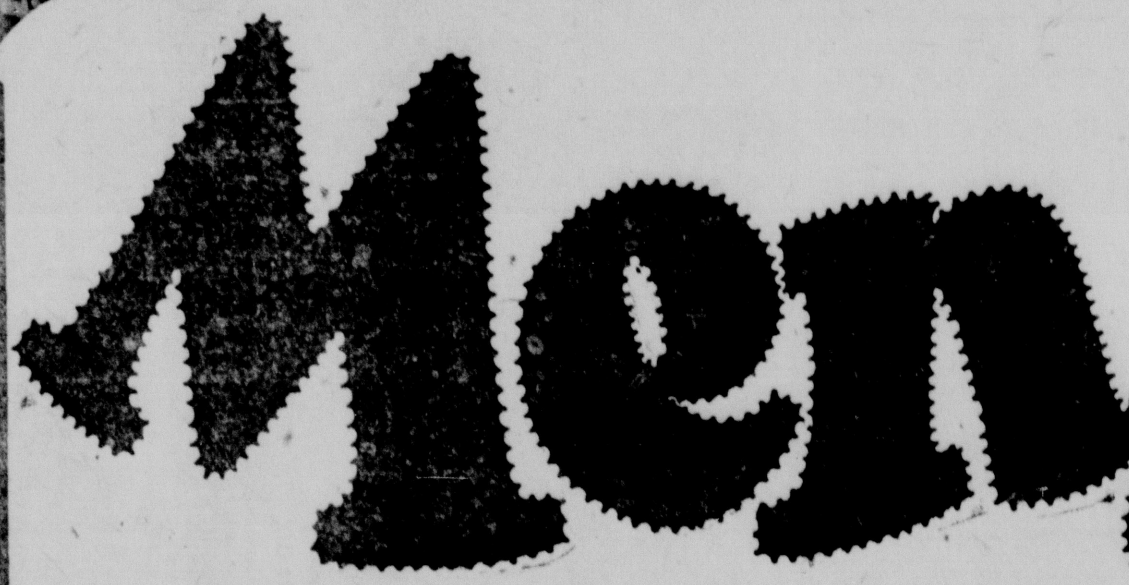
Urged by Congress

Congressional leaders subsequently requested that the commission take a hand in solving the perplexing problem of interstate regulation and the hearings beginning next week are the result.

It is anticipated that all the Illinois organizations fostering extension of commercial motor transportation will be represented at next Tuesday's session and those following. The burden of opinion gathered from Illinois witnesses is expected to differ from that forthcoming from those of other states, since the leaders of motorbus extension in that state have consistently favored some sort of federal regulation.

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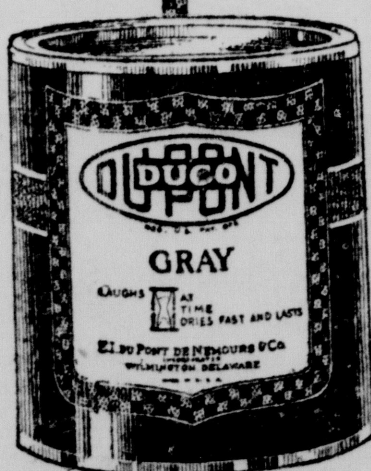
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Aimee McPherson's Congregation is Loyal

Refuse to Credit Attacks on Her Narrative

BY DAN THOMAS
NEA Service Writer

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Los Angeles—There are no ties stronger than the bonds of religion. The case of Aimee Semple McPherson, millionaire evangelist, which for weeks has held the spotlight among the nation's activities, is ample proof. Despite efforts of newspaper men and police investigators to prove Mrs. McPherson's kidnapping story false, not a single person among her 25,000 followers has wavered in his belief in her. Disciples of the famed woman preacher turn a deaf ear to stories that all is not as it should be and are blind to newspaper accounts intimating that her abduction yarn is false.

Stranger Than Fiction
That "truth is stranger than fiction" is again proven by Mrs. McPherson's disappearance. Her reappearance and later developments, a complete summary of the highlights in the case has been compiled especially for The Telegraph readers. The developments are given in chronological order except in a few instances where they have been grouped for addition clarity. They are:

1—Mrs. McPherson disappeared while bathing at Ocean Park, Calif., on May 18. Her companion, Miss Emma Schaefer, gave the alarm at 8:25 p. m.
2—Search for body started. Airplanes patrol ocean offshore and hundreds of workers patrolled beach for 15 miles.
3—"Mother" Kennedy offered \$500 reward for recovery of body. Divers went down to comb ocean bottom.
4—Unsubstantiated reports from

SKETCHES GIVE THE HISTORY OF "KIDNAPING" OF AIMEE SEMPLE McPHERSON



Police question Kenneth G. Ormiston, former radio operator



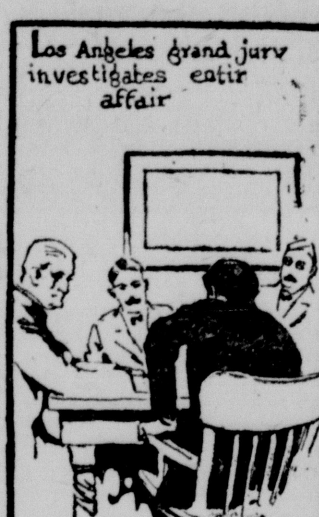
Search for body given up and \$35,000 raised for memorial to her



Evangelist's mother reveals letter demanding \$500,000 ransom



Mrs. McPherson appears at Agua Prieta, Mexico with story of escaping from kidnappers



Los Angeles grand jury investigates entire affair

Pismo Beach, San Francisco and northern points that Mrs. McPherson had been seen.

5—Kenneth G. Ormiston, former Angelus Temple radio operator, who had been reported missing, appeared and was questioned. Ormiston admitted his wife had threatened to sue for divorce, naming Mrs. McPherson.

6—Ormiston disappeared again.

Hunt Missing Woman
7—Ormiston reported seen in Santa Barbara and Salinas, Calif., with heavily veiled "mystery woman."

8—Abandonment of search for body on June 3.

9—Coroner Nance refuses to issue death certificate.

10—Memorial services held at Angelus Temple June 20. Thirty-five thousand dollars was raised, supposedly for a memorial.

11—Letter was turned over to police on June 22 by Mrs. Kennedy stating that Mrs. McPherson was being held for \$500,000 ransom by kidnappers. Postal authorities showed that

the letter had been delivered to the Angelus Temple on June 19, the day before the memorial services. Mrs. Kennedy continued to deny that the letter reached her before June 21 or 22. The envelope was found to have a cancelled two-cent stamp substituted for the special delivery stamp it originally bore.

12—Mrs. McPherson appears at Agua Prieta, Mexico, at 2 a. m., on June 23. She was taken to the Calumet Hospital in Douglas, Ariz., just across the border. She told a story of having been lured to an automobile at Ocean Park on the pretext of praying for a sick baby, having been forced into the car, drugged and carried away unconscious, later being taken to a Mexican shack and held prisoner until she cut her bonds on the edge of a tin can and escaped to walk 20 miles across the blazing desert to Agua Prieta.

Shoes Weren't Worn.
13—Sheriff of Douglas stated that shoes of Mrs. McPherson did not

show wear and dirt of such a walk.

14—Search for hut in which Mrs. McPherson claims to have been held failed. Aimee aided in search.

15—Reward of \$1000 for discovery of shack and \$10,000 for apprehension of kidnappers was offered by a Los Angeles newspaper.

16—Mrs. McPherson returned to Los Angeles on June 26 and was greeted by 100,000 persons.

17—Mayor Boubion of Agua Prieta made a statement that evidence found

by him and Chief of Police Silverio Villa discredited story told by evangelist. Boubion claimed that tracks showed Aimee was driven to a point one and a half miles from Agua Prieta. He also claimed that Mrs. McPherson refused food and water offered by family at whose home she appeared first. Boubion stated that scores of Mexican vaqueros and range riders failed to find the "kidnap shack" or any footprints other than those traced by his police.

18—C. A. Pope reported seeing a woman resembling Mrs. McPherson

in a blue automobile near the International Club at Agua Prieta on June 18.

Saw Her on Desert.
19—Sam Bremond and John Jones claim to have met blue auto on desert on June 21 in which a woman resembling Mrs. McPherson was riding.

20—Nurse Meribah Shinn of the Calumet Hospital, made a statement that Mrs. McPherson was not sunburned and that neither her lips nor tongue was cracked from lack of water when she was brought to the hospital.

21—Los Angeles grand jury subpoenaed witnesses for investigation of case.

22—Mrs. McPherson appeared before the jury on July 8 and repeated her kidnapping story under oath.

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TODAY in SPORTS

TENNIS CHAMPION DELIGHTS IN ROMANCE OF THE GAME HE TELLS THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Gives Insight Into His Purposes and Wishes in Playing Game

Editor's Note—The world of tennis having learned from its woman champion who "played and mastered the game for fun", may now know from Tilden, repeating champion of the courts, not only the mastery of a particular stroke which he believes brought him victory over Bill Johnston, but also how an aspiring tennis player may lift himself out of the ordinary class. The romance of the game, as Tilden has known it, was disclosed to Alan J. Gould, in response to a request of the general manager of The Associated Press. Mr. Gould is a member of the New York staff of The Associated Press which copyright the interview.

New York, July 28—(AP)—"Little Bill" Johnston if he never knew it before, can here and now learn of the stroke which "Big Bill" Tilden had to acquire and master seven years ago in order to defeat Johnston at tennis.

And Tilden not only gives credit to Johnston for having been instrumental in pointing out to Tilden the latter's weakness in the game, but he also expresses his gratitude to Johnston who, he says, had greater experience and match temperament in 1919 when the two met in contest for the first time.

"It was Johnston's ability to pound my backhand stroke to a pulp," Tilden said, "that taught me I had to have an offensive backhand stroke. So during the following winter I worked indoors four days a week on my back hand at Providence. Before we went to England in 1920 for the Davis cup matches, I had acquired through intensive practice an offensive as well as a defensive backhand stroke."

"It was the difference between my backhand of 1919 and that of 1920, plus additional experience, that enabled me to win the Wimbledon tournament, carrying with it the world's title at that time and later the American championship. In the American final, that year, Johnston set out to pound my backhand stroke as he had done the year before, but it would not be pounded this time."

"It is just this difference in backhand strokes which I believe has provided the margin of my victories over Johnston through the past six years."

For the mass of young tennis players who aspire to lift themselves out of the ranks of the ordinary, Tilden has a formula for success, compounded out of the elements of his own career of unprecedented triumph on the courts.

It is the formula that has given Tilden the magic touch and made him the champion of champions in an era of stirring competition, but there is no secret key to it, no short cut to the final profit, for its chief ingredients are sacrifice, concentration and an all-around game.

He Started Early.
"I started to play at the age of 5," he began. "I was pretty good as a youngster for my age," and got a great deal of incentive from helping as a ball boy at the Germantown Cricket Club watching Parke and Dixon, the British stars, play such Americans as Learned, Beals, Wright and Ward.

"From the age of 12 to about 19 or 20," he went on, "I played pretty badly. At about 18 I made up my mind to remodel my game, which had as its only redeeming feature a fast service. I realized I wouldn't get me anywhere and that I needed a sound ground game. On the theory I analyzed my play along common sense, scientific lines and for the next half dozen years, I worked on all court game."

"Everyone, including my friends, told me I was foolish, that I couldn't be both a base line and net player, but fortunately I was big headed enough not to believe them and kept at it."

Rival of Johnston.
"In 1919 Bill Johnston and I began our long span of rivalry, meeting four times all together. I defeated him the first time, and also won in the east-west matches, but he turned the tables in the clay court tournament and again in the title round of the national singles."

"Two factors accounted for Johnston's decisive victories—first, his greater experience in match temperament; second his ability to pound my backhand to a pulp."

"I am convinced that any player who wants to can master any stroke in the game," he said. "And no player will hold the American championship in the future who has any pronounced weakness. Therefore, any young player who aspires to be a national champion must be willing to go through the long tedious and at times, seemingly hopeless grind of

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
Pittsburgh	53	39 .576
Cincinnati	55	43 .561
St. Louis	51	43 .543
Chicago	50	45 .526
Brooklyn	49	48 .505
New York	46	47 .495
Philadelphia	36	55 .396
Boston	37	57 .394

Yesterday's Results
Boston, 1; Chicago, 0;
Brooklyn, 6-0; Cincinnati, 3-0;
St. Louis, 9; Philadelphia, 5;
Pittsburgh, 4; New York, 3.

Games Today
Chicago at Boston;
Pittsburgh at New York;
Cincinnati at Brooklyn;
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
New York	62	34 .646
Cleveland	53	44 .546
Philadelphia	51	44 .537
Detroit	51	47 .520
Washington	47	45 .511
Chicago	49	48 .505
St. Louis	41	55 .427
Boston	29	66 .305

Yesterday's Results
Washington, 7; Chicago, 2;
Boston, 7; Detroit, 0;
New York, 6; St. Louis, 5;
Philadelphia at Cleveland; postponed.

Games Today
Washington at Chicago;
New York at St. Louis;
Boston at Detroit;
Philadelphia at Cleveland (2).

learning the fundamentals of an all-court game.

"Style, too, must be acquired. By that I mean correct form which is a combination of racket technique and footwork. The ability to keep the eye on the ball and correct court position are absolutely essential."

"Every player, to reach the top must acquire these fundamentals yet these alone won't make a champion. It's the willingness and the knowledge of when to sacrifice to aid this form that makes a great champion."

"Bill Johnston, a model of style, will sacrifice comfort, looks and dignity to win a crucial point if that point happens to mean victory or defeat."

Ability to Scramble
"It is this ability, which I term the ability to scramble, the determination to go after everything, which carries most players out of the mass of the good into the select circle of the great. Lacoste has it. So have Richards and Borotra, but they are a few among many. Dick Williams, for example is not willing to scramble and, as a result, has failed to touch many of the heights to which his spectacular game otherwise would have carried him."

"I cannot too strongly urge young players to attempt the impossible in recoveries. At least 75 per cent of the shots considered impossible are actually recoverable if the effort is made for them."

"My advice to young players is to see as much good tennis as possible and attempt to copy the outstanding strokes of the famous stars."

"What are your views as to professional tennis?" he was asked.
"I do not believe in professional tennis. My faith and interest are in the amateur game, but at the same time I think professional tennis might succeed. Personally I have never considered turning professional and have no thought of it now. Necessity would be the only thing that would interest me in it."

Fights Last Night
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Hartford, Conn.—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill., beat Lew Paluso, Salt Lake City, Utah (10). Erwin Elge, Omaha, Neb., knocked out Joe Tiplitz, Philadelphia, Pa., (1).

Milwaukee—Joey Sanger, Milwaukee beat Henry Leonard, Chicago (10); Norman Bentz outpointed Billy Besch (4). Jackie Nichols defeated Don David, Chicago (6).

Indianapolis—Roy Wallace, Indianapolis, outpointed Tommy Burns, Detroit (10); Ray Hahn, Indianapolis, beat Pat Daly, Cincinnati.

Denver—"One Step" Watson Omaha, middleweight, knocked out Sig Zakashevsky of Milwaukee (3).

FOR SALE—Healo, the best foot powder on the market. Sold by Sullivan's drug store, Public Drug & Book store, Sterling Pharmacy and Rowland Bros. Only 25 cents a box. If you have any trouble whatsoever

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AMBOY DEFEATED LASALLE IN HARD GAME SUNDAY P. M.

Five Home Runs Made in Game, Amboy Getting Three

(Additional Sport News Page 7)
LaSalle, July 26—In a hotly contested game of nine thrilling innings, the La Salle Indians went down in defeat before the Amboy nine Sunday at Hegeler Park, 10-9.

An unusual feature of the game Sunday was the number of homers that were smashed out. The Amboy squad collected three circuit hits while the Indians, Carter and Ryceck, collected two.

And just as the Amboy lads had the edge in the home run department of the game, they had the edge in every other department. The edge was not large, but large enough to enable them to register ten runs while the Indians counted one less, 9.

The Indians made an early bid for the game when they counted three runs in the first inning and then again added the same number in the second. During the first two frames, it looked as though the locals would come through with flying colors for at the end of the second the score stood 6-2 in favor of the Redskins. In the third however, Amboy staged a smashing, clouting rally in which they registered long distance hits with the bases crowded. It was this rally that netted them five runs and placed them in the lead, 7-6, never to be headed. The Indians made several attempts to come back in the ensuing innings but could not cut the lead and were trailing two runs in the last of the ninth. Again they attempted to stage a come back but fell one run short and the game went away, 10-9.

Tutaj was on the mound for the Indians in the early stages of the game but was removed by Jagg when the Amboyettes smashed him around the lot in the third. Baker, the Amboy hurler, pitched a fine brand of baseball, striking out eleven and walking but three.

Gapinski and Studzinski, although playing errorless games, failed to come up to their usual performances when they failed to show among the ranks of the heavy hitters. When there are homers to be collected, Gapinski is usually in line for honors, but this star did not seem able to connect with the pill sufficiently hard Sunday. Neither did Joop who is another home run expert, connect with the pill for his usual circuit trot. Joop handled the ball behind the bat well throughout the nine innings, however, and held down his share of responsibilities.

That the Indian game was well played is evidenced by the fact that they committed but two errors while the Amboy lads pulled five.

The Indians are slated to meet the Rockford Falcons at Hegeler Park next Sunday.

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RUTH GETS 31st HOMER; IS FIVE BEHIND RECORD

Loose Fielding Gives Pirates Victory Over Giants

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Babe Ruth hit his 31st home run of the season yesterday, bringing his 1926 string within five of his 1921 mark at this stage. In 1921 he established the world's record of 59 for the season.

Goose Goslin was reinstated by Bucky Harris and contributed largely to the Senators 7-2 conquest of Chicago. Walter Johnson kept nine hits well scattered. Goslin was benched last week for indifferent playing.

Loose fielding by Emil Meusel in the early innings, gave the Pirates a start that the Giants could not overcome and he was benched after the third. Jackson and Lindstrom of the Giants obtained home runs both to the left field stands.

Reds Break Even
Cincinnati gained an even break in a double bill with Brooklyn, the Dodgers taking the first 6-3, behind McGraw's good pitching and the Reds the second 2-1, when Carl Mays delivered a five hit performance.

A Cardinal bombardment of fifteen hits was almost equalled by the Phillies, but St. Louis won 9-5 with Blades and Southworth leading the attack.

The Boston Braves won their fourth straight game by taking the first of the series from Chicago, 1-0, Bob Smith besting Charley Root in a pitching duel.

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LICENSE COMMISH. MAY HOLD UP BIG RING BOUT IN N. Y.

Rickard Meets Unexpected Snag in Efforts to Stage Fight

New York, July 28—(AP)—The most exciting preliminary to the scheduled fifteen round heavyweight championship battle between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney at the Yankee Stadium September 16 probably will be between the State Athletic Commission and its license committee. The Commission yesterday approved the bout, but there now appears to be a snag in the license committee which must issue certificates to the champion and challenger before they can fight in the Empire State. Here, as with the commission before it recently reversed its position on the Tunney fight, the difficulty is in the fact

that some members favor Harry Wills, the negro challenger as Dempsey's opponent.

Col. J. J. Phelan, chairman of the license committee of two men yesterday sent up word that heretofore they would act independently and strictly according to their own findings, a situation hitherto unknown.

Heretofore the committee always has followed the commission's recommendations.

Col. Phelan is known to favor Wills and has intimated that no licenses for the Dempsey-Tunney affair would be issued. Chairman Farley of the commission went so far as to predict that the Tunney fight never would take place. Brower and Muldoon, the two other commissioners who voted Farley down, said that the committee can refuse licenses only for legal reasons.

Parley's contention was that the commission had no legal right to accept the bout before the boxers had received licenses, but Brower and Muldoon countered with the Dempsey-Firpa situation wherein the champion obtained a license only a few hours before the bout.

Two weeks hence the license committee will meet again and at that

time there may be a decision. Meanwhile Rickard is planning for the event and Dempsey and Tunney have arranged for their training camps, the champion at Saratoga and Tunney probably at Lake Pleasant, N. Y.

Bantam Champion to Meet Chicago Scrapper

Cleveland, O., July 28—(AP)—Charlie Rosenberg, bantam champion, meets Midget Smith, Chicago in a ten round decision bout, one of three ten rounders, on an all star card tonight. As the men have agreed to weigh in at 121 lbs. Rosenberg's title will not be at stake.

Eddie Shea, Chicago, meets Allen town Johnny Leonard and Phil Kaplan, New York, will mix with Larry Estridge, former negro middleweight champion.

Subscribers living in the vicinity of Ashton may pay their subscription to F. P. Oberg if they find it more convenient than calling at our office. The Dixon Telegraph.

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FOR SALE—Clear Wisconsin 160 acres potato and celery land, \$7500 raised on it last year. Price \$30 per acre. Will trade. What have you? F. E. Winchell, Ambler, Ill. 1647

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FOR SALE—Portable typewriter. Good condition. Bargain. Phone B1202. 17413

FOR SALE—Household goods of all description at public auction at new home in Eldora on Wednesday, July 28, at 1:30 p. m. Fred Teske, Fred Hobbs, Auctioneer. 17413

FOR SALE—At auction. Will sell entire outfit of household furniture. Sale begins at 2 p. m. Thursday, July 29, at 416 College Ave. 17513

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WANTED—To buy small modern house at once. South side preferred. Address by letter "L. L." care of Telegraph. 17513

WANTED—Tree trimming by experienced man. Guaranteed work. W. O. Moore, 1103 Peoria Ave., Phone K1243.

WANTED—Roofing work. Only Mule Hide guaranteed material used. Any kind of roof guaranteed satisfactory. Experienced home men. Also asphalt re-coating. Estimates free. Frazier Roofing Co. Phone X311. 154 July 27

WANTED—Position as housekeeper in small family. Phone 43110.

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FOR RENT—Furnished modern sleeping rooms. Call at 408 West First St. 17413

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FOR RENT—5-room semi-modern cottage on West Fourth St. Call at 523 W. First St. Tel. Y567. 17413

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, modern, close to shoe factory. 312 West First St. 17413

FOR RENT—Good sized house, with two-car garage. Tel. Y244. 17413

FOR RENT—Furnished room, strictly modern, also apartment, within block of business center. Call Phone 1245. 17516

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. George Brooks, 214 West Third St. Phone L307. 17413

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The VANITY CASE

by CAROLYN WELLS

BEGIN HERE TODAY

In Harbor Gardens, Long Island, in an elaborate bungalow, lived PERRY HEATH and his wife, MYRA.

At the time the story opens the Heaths were entertaining as house guests:

LAWRENCE INMAN, a distant relative of Myra's and, aside from Perry, the only heir to her considerable fortune, and

BUNNY MOORE, young, vivacious, golden-haired, an old friend of Myra's.

Myra Heath was a peculiar woman. She was cold, sarcastic, she did not love her husband, but seemed enamored of Inman. She never used cosmetics or dressed in colors. In fact, her husband of color amounted to a passion. She collected rare old books and her latest was a whimsical little book which she was quite proud of but which aroused her artistic husband to scorn.

There is a growing intimacy between Perry Heath and Bunny Moore. Myra, becoming provoked, declares that she has made her will in favor of Inman, cutting Perry off.

That night, after Bunny and Inman retire, Myra Heath alludes mysteriously to Perry's "secret." When Perry goes to bed, Inman comes down stairs, and he and Myra are discovered in each other's arms later by Perry.

The next morning, Mrs. Prentiss, who lives next door, was telling her nephew, Todhunter Buck, of some mysterious lights she had seen the night before in the Heath bungalow. While they are talking a loud scream from the Heath home interrupts their conversation.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER V

"LET'S rush over!" Toddy cried, putting one leg over the porch railing.

"No, no," his aunt restrained him. "We can't do that. Harbor Gardens people are conventional and reserved. Wait until we hear something more."

The shriek had come from Katie, the Heaths' parlor maid.

This capable and efficient young woman was in the habit of coming downstairs at eight o'clock every morning.

It was Katie's duty to open windows and straighten things generally in the rooms and on the porches.

She had overslept a trifle this morning, for she had been out late. Indeed, she had come home from her evening out far later than the prescribed hour.

But she came downstairs, trim and neat in her smart morning uniform, and set diligently to work with her brush and duster.

The lounge in order, she proceeded to the studio, and it was the sight that met her eyes there, that brought forth the wild scream of terror that the neighbors heard.

For there, in the middle of the floor, lay Myra Heath with a candle burning at her head and another at her feet.

Katie looked twice to be sure that it was her mistress, so strange and so changed was the face that she saw.

Then, her hands over her eyes, she stumbled her way back to the kitchen and fell into a chair there.

"What's the matter, Katie?" Cook said, curiously, and the butler came from the dining room to listen.

"Oh, Mrs. Pierce, oh, Herrick, it's the Misses, she's—oh, I do believe she's dead!"

"Dead! What's talkin' about?" Mrs. Pierce, the cook, stared at the excited girl.

"She is—she is! Just you go and look—in the studio, on the floor—"

But Mrs. Pierce, and Herrick, the butler, had already rushed through to the studio.

"For the love of the saints!" exclaimed Mrs. Pierce, "and the candles burnin' and all!"

"It ain't Mrs. Heath—" Herrick said, greatly puzzled.

"Sure it's Mrs. Heath! But just look at her! Whatever has she been a doin' to herself?"

For it was a strange Myra Heath they saw.

Instead of her usually pale face and colorless lips, they saw a scarlet mouth, of exquisite shape; cheeks delicately rouged, with beautiful effect; eyebrows finely pencilled and showing their true arch; and a hint of color at the roots of the long lashes, that, upturned, showed wide open eyes, fixed in the stars of death.

There was a dead stare like a nunny. "Pierce!" the butler cried out. "We must tell somebody—we must call Mr. Heath—"

"Of course,—of course,—" responded the flustered woman. "You go and tell him, Herrick. You're the one to go."

So, slowly, Herrick turned away from the terrible yet fascinating sight, and slowly climbed the stairs. He knocked at Perry Heath's door but heard no response. Repeated knocks brought no word from within and so Herrick gently pushed open the door.

There was no one there, and the bed had obviously not been slept in. This was amazing, and Herrick's legs trembled under him.

Nonplussed, and uncertain what to do next, the butler hesitated, and then went along the hall to Lawrence Inman's room, and knocked there.

"Who is it? What's the matter?" Inman called, and Herrick heard him jump out of bed and open the door.

Inman faced the man with a look of surprise, for guests were not called of a morning in this house.

"If you please, sir," Herrick began, "there's—there's trouble below."

"Trouble below?" Larry rubbed his eyes. "What do you mean? Speak out, man."

"Well, sir, Mr. Heath, sir, he ain't in his room."

"Where is he?"

"I don't know, sir. And Mrs. Heath, she's—she's dead, I think."

"What! Herrick, what are you talking about? You been drinkin'?"

"No, sir. But I tell you there's great trouble on. Mrs. Heath, sir—I tell you she's dead, sir."

Herrick's excitement made him incoherent, and without waiting to dress, Inman flung on a dressing gown, over his pajamas, and pushing the man aside, hurried down the stairs.

He went straight to the studio, and gave a gasp as he looked down at the prostrate figure on the floor.

The two candles were still burning, but they were guttering and almost burnt out.

Myra lay in a comatose position, but with strange accessories. Her gown, the one she had worn the evening before, was of white georgette, simply made. But across the bodice, was flung the deep crimson scarf that was Bunny's. Round her neck was a heavy string of large, almost barbaric beads, of red and gold.

Instinctively, Inman glanced up at a light sconce, where these beads usually hung, as a sort of decorative touch.

Their place was empty. Had Myra decked herself in these things?

He gazed at her face. Always beautiful, in her calm pale way, she was far more so now, with the color on cheeks and lips, with eyes looking large and striking, and with the scarf of American Beauty red, enlivening her white dress.

And the candles,—two of those from the long studio table,—standing in their brass candlesticks at her head and feet, still faintly alight, but just ready to flicker out, these gave the effect of a shrine or a strange ceremonial of some sort.

"Oh, my God!" Larry groaned, as last year, were recorded in the monthly bulletin of the State Department of Public Health.

"The actual number of fatalities," the bulletin read, "rose from 1,288 in 1924 to 1,548 in 1925. Many thousands of persons were injured, some seriously enough to be permanently handicapped."

"Automobiles were directly responsible for more deaths in Illinois last year than diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and whooping cough combined. These five diseases the worst of the acute epidemic infections, caused a total of 1,530 fatalities, eighteen less than the automobile death toll."

"No other single type of accident involving automobiles approached the mortality record of the pedestrian versus automobile. Out of the 1,548 deaths 833 were pedestrians."

a man will, who does not know what else to say.

"She's been killed, Mr. Inman, sir," said Herrick, as he pointed to a great confusion on Myra's left temple.

This was not noticeable at first glance, for the head was turned to that side, and the hair was a bit fluffed out as if to hide it.

Inman looked, then turned away in horror, and ran from the room. Herrick followed him, and they faced one another as they stood in the lounge.

"What must we do, sir?" asked the man, and Inman stared at him speechlessly.

"But we must do something," Herrick urged, allowing himself the familiar pronoun by reason of the great stress of the occasion.

"Yes, yes," Larry roused himself to answer. "Yes, I suppose we must."

"Where is Mr. Heath, sir?" Herrick went on, anxiously.

"Lord, I don't know. Where can he be? He must be around somewhere."

"No sir, he ain't. Why, he'd be right here, if he was. Now, what about Miss Moore?"

"Miss Moore? Oh, yes,—well, what about her?"

"Why, sir, she ought to be here—warned a bit, don't you think?"

"Yes, yes, certainly. Warn her, Herrick, warn her, by all means," Herrick stated.

"It's not for me, sir. I'll send Mrs. Pierce or one of the maids."

"Yes, do. That's right," Mrs. Pierce or one of the maids.

Herrick shook his head. Mr. Inman was a broken reed. And with Mrs. Heath dead and Mr. Heath absent, what was to be done?

"Do you think, sir," he said, forcing himself to suggest, "that we ought to call a doctor, or—"

"A doctor? Oh, yes,—a doctor. Why,—why, Herrick, she's dead."

"I know, sir, but it's most generally done in such cases. Oh, I wish Mr. Heath would come!"

"I wish so, too. I'm—I'm no good in a matter like this. I'm no good, Herrick."

"No, sir," said Herrick, sincere for once. "Well, then, suppose I telephone for Doctor Conklin, he's the family physician."

"Yes, do,—do that, Herrick, at once."

"Yes, sir. And I'll send Carter, the ladies' maid, to Miss Moore, and she can tell her, you see."

"And you, sir, yourself, you'd better dress, for there'll be people coming, you know."

"Why, yes,—" Inman looked down at himself as if surprised at his garb. "Yes, certainly. I will."

He went off to his room, and, closing the studio door, Herrick went to the telephone.

He summoned Dr. Conklin, who promised to come over at once.

Then, with a swift glance about, Herrick pulled open a drawer in the big table, and from a loose pile of small bills, and a box containing silver coin, he helped himself rather liberally, stuffing the money in his pocket.

He eyed what was left with the air of a connoisseur, decided it was as little as he safely dared leave, and closed the drawer again.

Then he turned his attention to the dead woman, and silently contemplated the strange details of Myra Heath's appearance.

Never before had he seen his mistress with artificial color on her cheeks or lips; never before had he seen her wearing a crimson scarf; never before, to his knowledge, had she worn a string of gaudy beads. It was beyond his powers of divination to fathom these mysteries.

And then, at her feet, propped against the candlestick that stood there, he saw the card which he had seen many times before,—the ornate pen and ink work that bore the legend, "The Work of Perry Heath."

(To Be Continued.)

METHODIST SCHOOL OF EDUCATION TO OPEN IN EVANSTON

Eminent Clergymen to Meet in Evanston for Two Weeks

Evanston, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—Eminent Methodist clergymen and educators from all parts of the United States will appear here, August 2 to 13, at the summerschool of Religious Education, held under the auspices of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Roger Albright of Evanston will be dean of the school.

There will be several courses for pastors and classes open to college and divinity students. Courses are also arranged for student pastors, directors of Religious Education and advanced students. Indications are that there will be 200 registrations from all parts of the United States.

The school will open on Monday evening, August 2, with a reception. Every day there will be a recreational program between 3:00 and 5:00 p. m. directed by Mr. N. O. Harrington, community director of recreation for the city of Erie, Pa. Various recreational events will take place on the campus, and the students will be taken on excursions to the Chicago Museum, Library, Art Institute and prominent places of interest in and about Chicago.

The annual school banquet will be held Thursday evening, August 12th, and the commencement exercises will be on Thursday afternoon.

The faculty will include the Rev. Charles F. Boss, Jr., registrar; Dr. Harris Franklin Hall of Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Ill.; Miss Edna Dean Baker, president of the National Kindergarten and Elementary College, Frank M. McKibben, Chicago; Marion O. Hawthorne, Northwestern University, and Prof. Karl R. Stolz, Chicago.

Visiting members of the faculty will include Gilbert G. Le Sourd, Ph. D., conference and promotion secretary for the Missionary Education movement, New York City; John H. Montgomery, B. S., M. S., E., professor of religious education, University of Southern California, Los Angeles; W. G. Pagan, B. S., M. A., director of religious education, Central Methodist Church, Lansing, Mich.; Edward R. Bartlett, M. A., professor of religious education, De Pauw University, Greencastle, Ind.; Mildred O. Moody, B. A., director of elementary work of the department of church schools of the Methodist church, Chicago.

Blanche Carrier, M. R. E., supervisor weekday schools of religion, the Sunday School Council of Religious Education, Dayton, Ohio; Lydia H. Glover, A. F., director of pageantry and dramatics, department of Missionary Education of the Methodist church, Chicago; and N. O. Harrington, director of religious education, Y. M. C. A., Erie, Pa.

Springfield, July 27.—(AP)—Reading of the Declaration of Independence annually from school platforms does not guarantee equality and fairness to the listening students, R. C. Moore, Secretary of the Illinois State Teachers' Association, said in a press bulletin issued here today.

"Although thousands of orators declare the rights and freedom of the students," said Mr. Moore, "great inequalities in educational opportunities still exist."

"For instance, District 113, Vermilion county, has an assessed valuation per teacher of \$354.221 and District 157 in the same county has an

assessed valuation per teacher of only \$24.410. This means that the first district is 14 times as able to support its school as is the second; or that, if they should provide equal standards, the tax rate in the second district must be about 14 times as high as in the first."

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ROCHELLE NEWS

ROCHELLE—The Rochelle Masonic bodies, Horicon Lodge A. F. & A. M., Rochelle Chapter R. A. M., and Salomon Chapter, Order Eastern Star will hold their annual picnic on Thursday, August 5th. A program is being arranged and the place of holding the picnic will soon be announced.

This annual picnic is looked forward to eagerly by the many masonic members and their families, and occurring as it does on Thursday afternoon when most of the stores are closed, a large attendance is expected.

State's Attorney Martin V. Peterson attended a special conference of the prosecutors of three states in Chicago, Thursday, July 22. The conference was called by Robert Crowe, State's Attorney of Cook county, Chicago, in response to the wave of public sentiment as well as the increased number of complaints of tourists and citizens relative to speed traps, State's

attorneys from 39 counties in three states were represented. Mr. Peterson is clearly visible in the photo appearing on the back page of the Chicago Daily Tribune, Saturday July 24th.

Mrs. A. B. Cheadle returned Wednesday from a three weeks visit with her daughter Gertrude in New York City.

W. J. Somers was in Chicago, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collier and Mrs. Barbour were in Chicago Friday making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. Amelia McConaughy and sister, Miss Jeanette Gardhouse, entertained a company of ladies at bridge Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. J. Bodwin and children are here from Oak Park visiting Mrs. Bodwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Lang.

Mrs. John A. Simpson and son, of Dormont, Pa., are expected in Rochelle in August for a visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Simpson will be remembered as Louise Brundage.

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